

Dewey Halts Pressures But Must Boost Taxes

Study Newspaper Confidence



Assembly majority leader Lee Mallier (left) and John W. MacDonald, Executive Secretary of Law Revision Commission, discuss the Commission's recommendations for a newspaper confidence law. The Commission has brought in a report advocating the passage of such a law, which is tantamount to its passage. (NEA Telephoto)

Teacher Pay Bill Introduced Today For 10 Per Cent

Two Republicans Also Ask Automatic Salary Boosts Through 12th Year

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—A bill sponsored by the New York State Teachers Association, providing for a 10 per cent increase in minimum pay for teachers was introduced today in the legislature.

The bill, filed by Assemblyman Leo Noonan of Cattaraugus and Senator Edmund P. Radwan of Buffalo, both Republicans, also calls for automatic salary boosts through the 12th year of teaching.

After the 12th year, a teacher would receive additional automatic salary increases only if she met specified standards.

The amount of additional state aid that the association program would require was not determined. However, it was estimated unofficially that the recommended boosts would cost the state \$60,000 annually.

This sum would be in addition to a \$40,000,000 increase in state aid mandated under the Feinberg law because of increased school population in the coming fiscal year.

Dr. Arvie Eldred, executive director of the State Teachers Association, told reporters the Noonan-Radwan bill was in accordance with decisions reached by the association membership.

Eldred said that standards to qualify teachers for automatic promotion beyond 12 years of service would be established by boards of education and committees of teachers.

Such standards, he said, would include advanced work on exceptional service to pupils or communities.

Under the present law, teachers receive automatic annual increments for the first six years of service.

After that, promotion is based on merit. It comes annually up to 10 years of service. Then it remains static for three years and then goes up to a 16-year maximum.

The present minimum salary is \$2,000 in New York state. The new minimum would be \$2,200. It would be increased to a 16-year maximum of \$4,300 in cities under 100,000 population.

In larger cities, except New York, the new minimum would be \$2,400 and the maximum, \$4,700. In New York city, the minimum would be \$2,750 and the maximum, \$5,200.

These sums are exclusive of a \$200 payment to every teacher holding a master's degree.

Three Killed in Germany

Frankfurt, Germany, Jan. 12 (AP)—An American airlift plane returning from Berlin crashed near here today, killing all three crewmen. The big four-engine C-54 Skymaster took a swerve 100 yards long through a forest two miles east of the Rhein-Main Airport, bowling over foot-thick trees like tenpins. Most of the fuselage remained intact but the wings and landing wheels were knocked off and the cockpit crushed. The landing gear was down, indicating the pilot was about to land.

Harriman Is in London

London, Jan. 12 (AP)—W. Averell Harriman, U. S. roving ambassador for the European Recovery Program, arrived by plane today for talks with Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin and Sir Stafford Cripps, chancellor of the exchequer. Harriman has been collecting evidence in the capitals of the countries participating in the E.R.P. program on their progress towards self sufficiency.

Governor to Raise Levies to Peak Record in History

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—New York taxpayers learned from Governor Dewey today that he plans to increase their taxes by \$169,000,000 this year.

The boost would be the largest in the history of the state.

It represents a compromise between conflicting pressures, some from within his own Republican Party.

Barring last-minute changes, the governor will incorporate in his new budget recommendations for increases in the personal income, gasoline and corporate franchise taxes to raise the \$169,000,000.

Dewey also revealed at a news conference last evening that he would tilt the education allotment to provide for additional school construction.

This was as far as he was willing to go—for the present—toward meeting the demands of the Board of Regents, teacher organizations, the Democratic Party and some Republicans for a huge increase in state aid for education.

He left the door open, however, for a possible compromise.

Although he said his education budget would include only a mandated increase of \$40,000,000 to pay for the rise in pupil enrollment, and probably several millions for school construction, he hinted he might be able to see his way clear to recommend a supplemental budget appropriation.

For Serious Consideration

Dewey said he had under serious consideration:

1. An increase of 66 and 2/3 per cent in income tax payments through a return to the full normal rates. This would yield an estimated additional \$114,000,000.

2. A one-cent per gallon increase in the gasoline tax, from four to five cents, yielding an estimated \$21,000,000.

3. A one per cent rise in the corporate franchise tax to yield an estimated \$34,000,000.

Dewey had indicated recently that he was opposed to boosting the business tax on the ground it might tend to "kill the goose that lays the golden egg."

He told reporters last evening that although he still held to that opinion, it looked as if the state might have to tax this source.

Dewey saw reporters after conferences with all Senate Republicans and with G.O.P. members of the Assembly Ways and Means, Education and Taxation Committees.

He also conferred yesterday with representatives of the State Educational Conference Board and the State Teachers Association and with the Boards of Visitors of the State Teachers' Colleges.

He left reporters with the impression he had succeeded in quieting, for the time being at least, Republican legislative clamor for additional state aid for education.

Differences on Education

He said, however, that Republican legislators had expressed to him the "widest differences" of opinion on aid for education.

He added that there was "substantial agreement" among them, particularly among assemblymen, for more school construction.

Dewey left little doubt that he had discarded the Board of Regents proposal for an increase of \$23,600,000 above the \$40,000,000 increase mandated by law. He said the Regents proposal would provide nothing additional for New York city, Suffolk and Westchester counties.

These localities carry the major share of the state's tax load.

However, his willingness to recommend appropriations for school construction placed him in at least partial agreement with the Regents and others.

The Regents have proposed \$18,000,000 for school construction.

Dewey made it plain he had

Bevin Gives His Report To Cabinet

Foreign Office Denies Israel Assertion of Anglo Shipments of Arms to Arabs

Israel Is Blamed

Responsibility for Any Breaking of Embargo Laid to Jews

London, Jan. 12 (AP)—Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin told a lengthy cabinet meeting today of latest Palestine developments which the foreign office calls a grave threat to peace in the Middle East.

The meeting lasted more than three hours. There was no immediate announcement of action.

The foreign office denied Israel's assertion that Britain has sent military supplies to her Arab state allies in violation of the United Nations arms embargo.

A spokesman said Israel itself broke the embargo by importing supplies from Communist Czechoslovakia "on a massive scale."

He said 90 per cent of Israel's supplies came from east Europe. He said American dollars, but not U. S. government dollars, make possible the purchases.

Israel and Britain blamed each other for the crisis.

The cabinet meeting was the first since British-Israeli tension heightened over the destruction of five R.A.F. planes in the Palestine-Egyptian frontier area last Friday.

Israeli forces shot down the planes, described as armed reconnaissance craft. They fell in the closing phase of a long border battle between Israel and Egypt.

Armistice talks between Israel and Egypt are due to start at Rhodes this week under United Nations auspices. Acting U.N. Mediator Ralph J. Bunche arrived at Rhodes yesterday.

Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin, whose Middle Eastern policy has been criticized by some British newspapers, was slated to give fellow ministers a review of the situation up to date.

A foreign office statement, issued after Israel complained about British activities to the Security Council at Lake Success yesterday, defined Britain's current stand on the Palestine problem.

To exercise restraint, back up the United Nations and reserve her rights as to future action.

"One of the great dangers in the situation lies in the fact that the Security Council has been losing control over the events," the statement said. "It is of paramount importance that this authority should be reestablished without delay and maintained to a final settlement is reached."

Israel charged in a note to the Security Council that Britain is menacing her with both military and political activity. The Tel Aviv government urged the Council to investigate British troop and naval movements. It declared R.A.F. planes violated the Palestine frontier and that British arms have gone to three of its Arab foes, Egypt, Iraq and Trans-Jordan.

The Council gave no indication when it would consider the note.

The foreign office statement declared Israel has repeatedly violated U. N. trade orders, still occupies some Jewish employment and the possibility cannot be excluded of further Jewish attacks in violation of the truce, in Jerusalem or elsewhere, against forces of Trans-Jordan or Iraq.

It said "the reports of the acting mediator leave no room for doubt that the present crisis is the outcome of Jewish aggression."

To Discuss Work

San Juan, Puerto Rico, Jan. 12 (AP)—Labor Commissioner Fernando Sierra announced today he will leave for Washington January 22 to discuss a program for sending Puerto Rican laborers to New Jersey and New York in the summer to work on farms. He said he would confer with Washington officials, the federal employment service and labor leaders in New Jersey. He also plans to visit New York to negotiate on plans for sending 1,500 laborers to New York farms.

Treasury Receipts

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—The position of the treasury January 10: Net budget receipts \$145,932,619.45. Budget expenditures \$97,100,313.33. Cash balance \$3,209,329,944.00. Customs receipts for month \$8,301,242.84. Budget receipts fiscal year July 1 \$18,504,509,244.34. Budget expenditures fiscal year \$18,564,143,697.42X. Deficit \$59,634,453.08Y. Total debt \$252,270,007,615.31. Decrease under previous day \$11,188,282.31. Gold assets \$24,252,625,584.04. X—\$20,276,944,504.50, counting foreign economic cooperation trust fund expenditures. Y—\$1,772,435,260.16 deficit counting expenditures above.

Coalition Is Shaping Against Truman Tax

Turn Their Backs on Ice



The latest blizzard to sweep through the panhandle of Texas has these short horns near Amarillo, Tex., turning their backs to the ice and wind. The shivering cattle are standing in frozen grass. (NEA Telephoto)

Ulster Hose Co. Raps Town Board For Lack of Action

Volunteers Say They Won't Answer Calls Out of Their Fifth District

Lack of action by the town board, Township of Ulster to create a new fire district during a period of five months after a public hearing on the proposal, is scored in a statement released today by officers of Ulster Hose Company No. 5 for the benefit of residents of the township.

The hose company claims that for five years it has been answering alarms for fires in an area outside of the Fifth Fire District and it declares that "after Jan. 15," it will "not furnish fire protection outside of the Fifth Fire District."

The Fifth Fire District is composed of the Albany avenue extension area, the Richmond and Lincoln Park sectors and extends as far north along Route 9-W as Staten Island Inn, the hose company officers said.

The company also contends that it has been answering calls in the East Kingston, Ulster Landing, Eddyville, Lucas avenue, Hurley avenue extension, Sawkill road, Lake Katrine and Glenclire regions, and says it will no longer continue covering these areas after the end of this week.

Last September, the statement says, "Ulster Hose Company No. 5 requested of the Town Board, Town of Ulster, that a fire protection district be formed covering that area of the town not included in the Fifth Fire District and the Ruby-Mt. Marion Fire District. This matter was legally advertised and a public hearing concerning same conducted by the town board. At this hearing there was no dissenting voice from the taxpayers present, and the town board agreed to take action on the matter."

The town board "during the intervening five months," the statement continued, "has not yet created the fire protection district in question."

The statement said further that "in explanation to the residents of this proposed fire protection district, may we call to your attention the fact that you have been receiving without cost, fire protection paid for by the taxes of residents of the Fifth Fire District and voluntarily furnished by Ulster Hose Company members."

Ulster Hose Company No. 5, during this period has covered more calls outside of their district than the number of fires occurring within the district.

"We believe that the average taxpayer," it continued, "in the proposed fire district would not be adverse to the payment of a yearly tax of approximately \$2 for such fire protection."

"Inasmuch as the town board has not yet taken action, we regret to inform you that after January 15, 1949, Ulster Hose Co. No. 5 will not furnish fire protection outside of the Fifth Fire District."

"We suggest that you make your wishes in this matter known to the town board by petition or by whatever means at your command in order that you may be assured of fire protection in the future."

Snow, Sleet Slap West, Flowers Bloom in South

Ewing Says Health Insurance Needed

Says Common Man Must Be Placed Under Benefits

A form of prepaid health insurance to bring "more health to more people" was stressed last night by Oscar Ewing, federal security administrator, as a national need.

Guest speaker at the "Victory Dinner" of the Ulster County Democratic Committee at The Barn, Ewing addressed 262 Democrats who sat down to a dinner at \$10 a plate and also heard Paul Fitzpatrick, chairman of the Democratic state committee, urge that "in 1950 it is our duty to bring this state back to the Democratic column."

The guest speaker, who had been selected by President Harry S. Truman to head a special program of health research, said that primarily he had no personal interest "in national health insurance," but he is interested in a better national health program.

"I say to you in all sincerity," he declared, "that there's something stirring on this question—the common man has got to find a way to get it."

The common man, he stressed, in the event of another depression "is not going to stand in line for penicillin," as he was once forced to stand in line for food.

The Democratic party, he said, has been mindful of the interests of the common man, "and if we are true to the interests of those who need help, there will be more Democratic victories."

Many doctors feel that this plan for a prepaid health insurance is a form of socialized medicine, he said, but he said that it is "a system of paying" so that everyone can be assured of proper medical care. Several doctors were in the audience.

The health survey for which he was selected, he said, required 14 different panel studies, and the

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Murtagh Will Study Penalty, If Any, Against Chain Store

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—City Investigation Commissioner John M. Murtagh says he will seek to learn if a major milk distributor is penalizing a retail store chain for reducing milk prices.

Here are the events leading to the new probe, which starts today:

1. Last week, Murtagh asked Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company chain stores to cut prices one cent on homogenized milk. He made similar requests to two distributors, the Borden Co., and Sheffield Farms, Inc.

2. Yesterday, A. and P. announced a one cent cut for both homogenized and plain milk, effective today. This brought homogenized milk down to 23 cents a quart and plain milk to 22 cents.

3. Murtagh called the price cut

Byrd Says Big Boost Won't Come

Senator Says Proper Economies Would Do Trick of Balancing Budget

Has Rental Bill

Myers to Introduce New Plan to Extend Law on Dwellings

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—A strong combination of Republicans and Democrats was taking shape today for a drive against the \$4,000,000,000 tax boost requested by President Truman.

Senator Byrd (D.-Va.), a long-time economy advocate, predicted the President will get less than half of what he asked for—if he gets any increase at all.

"With reasonable economies no tax increase at all would be necessary," he told a reporter. As a step in that direction he proposed dropping 210,000 of the 2,100,000 federal workers from the government payroll.

Senator Robertson (D.-Va.) expressed a similar view. "I feel the more prudent course would be to balance the budget by economy in spending rather than through an increase in taxes," he said.

And Senator Sparkman (D.-Ala.) told a reporter, "it is going to be very, very difficult to get as much of an increase as the President requested. We either have got to cut the amount of spending or raise taxes. We simply cannot afford in these lush times to have deficit financing."

Rep. Taber (R.-N.Y.), who was chairman of the House Appropriations Committee in the Republican 80th Congress, said in a statement he was certain the President's spending estimates can be shaved "very substantially."

The President submitted a \$41,900,000,000 federal budget estimate for the year starting July 1. Predicting a deficit of almost \$1,000,000,000, Mr. Truman asked Congress to cover it and help pay off the \$232,000,000,000 national debt by passing the \$4,000,000,000 tax boost.

Mr. Truman proposed raising the new revenue chiefly from corporations but he also suggested Congress examine the possibility of increasing taxes on middle and upper incomes.

The Senate Finance Committee, which handles tax legislation, is composed of seven Democrats and six Republicans. If the Republicans put up a solid opposition front and one Democrat joins them, the President's \$4,000,000,000 tax increase could be blocked there. Byrd is a member of the committee.

On the House side, where all tax measures originate, Chairman Doughton (R.-N.C.) of the Ways and Means Committee said the people have got to be convinced the government is not wasting money before they will accept a tax increase.

Would Extend Ceilings

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—Legislation to extend rent ceilings 27 months and put thousands of dwellings back under rent control will be introduced by Senator Myers (D.-Pa.), probably tomorrow.

Senator Maybank (D.-S. C.), chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, told a reporter the measure might become the administration's rent bill. Mr. Truman has asked for tightening of controls and extension for at least two years.

The Senate Banking Committee will hold its first meeting of the session Friday. Maybank predicted rent legislation will get a top priority. The present law expires March 31. Myers' bill would extend control through June, 1951.

Rep. Spence (D.-Ky.) said he plans to introduce a rent control bill drafted by the administration. An official of the Housing Expediter's office said that measure and the one Myers will sponsor appear to be very similar.

Under Myers' bill, rent control would revert pretty much to its status prior to changes authorized, over Mr. Truman's protest, by the Republican-controlled 80th Congress.

New dwellings, including those controlled since they were decontrolled would be placed under rent ceilings again. So would converted dwellings and perma-

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Seek Reduction In Gasoline Tax

A move to bring about a reduction in gasoline tax is gaining impetus as a result of threats emanating from Albany that the New York state motorist may soon be the target for another effort to boost the gas tax. Today many motorists are asking: "What is to prevent this succession of increases from continuing until the amount of the tax exceeds the price of the gasoline?"

Said James C. Styles of Styles of Styles Express, 71 Tenbroeck avenue, today when interviewed on this topic: "Statistics recently compiled show that the present tax on gasoline might be lowered approximately one-half a cent per gallon without diminishing the sum collected annually by the state in the past. There are several contributing factors. First, the automobile is being used more. This means more mileage and more gasoline per car. Then there is the flood of new cars going into commission every week. Another factor is the ever-increasing mileage of improved highways. Right now I want to point to the mistake taken by so many persons who have about the use of which the gas tax put. It is entirely incorrect to assume that the money realized by the state from gas tax is all, or even a large part of it, used for highway development.

"Recent figures show that more than \$700,000,000 of highway-user tax revenue has been diverted to non-highway purposes by the state," he went on, adding, "There is nothing in evidence to suggest that a continuation of the outworn policy of soaking the motorists is going to be reflected in new road expenditures.

Week's Pay For Gas Tax

"Motorists have let themselves be pushed around too long," Mr. Styles continued. "Why, it takes a full week's pay for the typical worker in the retail trade just to pay his gasoline tax each year. It is easy to believe that there are some fossils in Albany who continue to look upon the motor car as the rich man's hobby but a bright man like Governor Dewey cannot hold any such views. And, speaking of the Governor, I wonder if he realizes the extent the motor car owner has been milked for the past 30 years. Figures have been published recently taken from the records of 50 representative cities throughout the United States, showing the course taken by gasoline taxes. The first record shows an inconsiderable sliver of a cent a gallon tax. That was the foot in the door. Since then the rise has been gradual—never enough at any one time to stir up much organized opposition.

The Thirty-Year Record
"From the six-tenths of a cent a gallon in 1919 the average went to three and one-half cents in 1929 and ten years later it had increased to five and one-half cents. In 1939 it had risen to a trifling five and one-half cents on the gallon. Inclusive of the Federal Tax. Now, with the average price of the gasoline itself (without taxes) averaging 19.61 cents a gallon in the fifty cities the motorist pays an average 25.99 cents a gallon.

"Back in the day of the six-tenths of a cent tax we could well consider this a painless form of taxation. Today we must recognize it for what it really is—a simple, not too intelligent, device by which money is extracted from the pockets of a class of citizens who has earned a reputation for accepting repeated shellackings without much murmuring.

"Unless we can begin to reverse the order by calling upon the state legislature to get going on a bill to pull down the present excessively high level of gas tax, we shall have to reconcile ourselves to unending exploitation," Mr. Styles concluded.

GIs Can Use Club
Berlin, Jan. 12 (AP)—The exclusive officers' and civilians' Har-nack House said today it was okay for GI Joes to come again. The U. S. Army waved a big financial stick at the members' December ruling which barred ordinary soldiers from entering the club. The ruling caused quite a hubbub. Maj. Gen. George Hays, deputy theatre commander called the board on the carpet. He pointed out the army subsidizes the club and said there could be no discrimination where U. S. government funds were concerned—or else, five hundred members met last night and were told they would either have to put up an additional \$175,000 of their own money in the next year or pull down the "restricted clientele" sign. They decided to pull down the restriction.

Naval Reserve Meeting

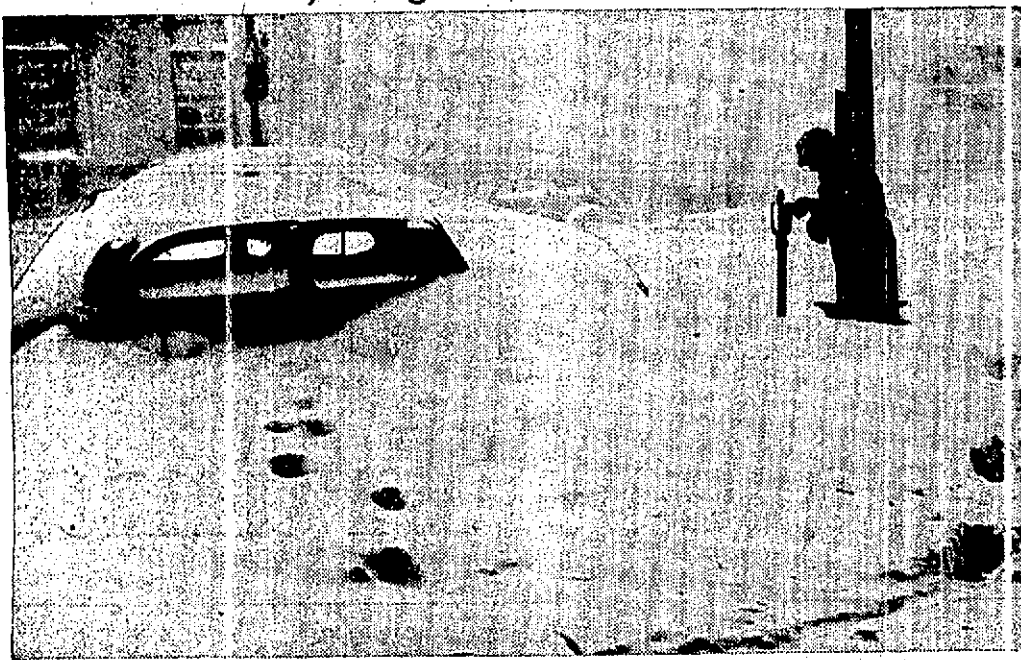
The regular meeting of Naval Reserve in Kingston will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the American Legion Building, West O'Reilly street.

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Swiss Continue Trials Of Fifth Columnists

Bern, Switzerland (AP)—Since the end of the war, 102 Swiss citizens have been prosecuted as members of the Nazi fifth column in Switzerland, according to a government report.

Of the 102 persons charged with treason, collaboration with the Germans and undermining Switzerland's neutrality and independence during the war, only three were acquitted. Ninety-nine fifth-columnists were sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment, ranging from 20 years to six

months. Those sentenced to prison on terms included several tried in absentia and still believed to be abroad.

Pigeon Is Rescued

Chicago (AP)—An exhausted pigeon, fluttered down on a water intake crib in Lake Michigan four miles off the Chicago shore. The keeper put through a radio call to the Animal Welfare League. The League got in touch with the Coast Guard. A crash boat plowed the cold, choppy water to the crib, picked up the bushy bird and brought it to dry land. The pigeon—it looked like the homing kind—was taken to league headquarters

to rest until it had strength enough to go home.

The cornerstone was recently laid for the new University of Caen in France which was founded in 1432.

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Score Is Injured In Train Wreck

Groveland, Fla., Jan. 12 (AP)—The Orange Blossom Special, Miami-to-New York streamliner, derailed near here last night and a score of persons was injured.

Nineteen were taken to Leesburg Hospitals, two of them seriously hurt.

One crew member at first was reported missing, but the Florida Highway Patrol later said it understood he had been found.

The derailment was the second in two days for the Seaboard Air-line Railroad's Pullman train.

Twenty persons were hurt when another section of the Orange Blossom jumped the track at Millford, Va., Monday.

Three Pullman cars overturned in swampy muckland along the tracks at Bay Lake, 14 miles southwest of here, in last night's wreck. Rail officials said nine other cars also left the track.

John McLeod of Elmira, N. Y., and Mrs. Morris Flaks of Baltimore, Md., were most seriously injured. Leesburg Hospital attendants said Mrs. Flaks suffered a broken leg and other injuries.

Ambulances and highway patrol rescue squads had difficulty reaching the scene over the 14 miles of winding clay and sand roads.

Seaboard officials said passengers who were not hospitalized re-

sumed their northbound trip in the four cars which remained on the rails and were rerouted via Plant City.

At Leesburg, the following names of persons admitted to hospitals for treatment were listed as including:

A. D. McCabe, 53, Port Washington, L. I., multiple abrasions. W. E. Dent, 51, 1424 W. Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., lacerations of the face.

Mrs. Samuel H. Ordway, 155 E.

72nd street, New York, hip injury, and son, Stephen, 12, chest injury.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Landon, 225 Central Park West, New York, shock.

T. C. Gardens, 24, lounge car attendant, 508 West 139th street, New York, back injury.

J. W. Beals, 51, porter, 315 West 137th street, New York, lacerations of face and arm.

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Stamp Club Officers

Lewis A. DeGraff was elected president of the Colonial City Stamp Club during the regular meeting Monday night at the home of E. J. Linson, 113 Fair street. Other officers named were

Paul Jones, vice-president; and E. J. Linson, secretary and treasurer. New members welcomed at the meeting were Mrs. M. D. Ahern, J. C. Hollings and Alex Wolff. The next meeting will be held January 24 at the home of Secretary Linson.

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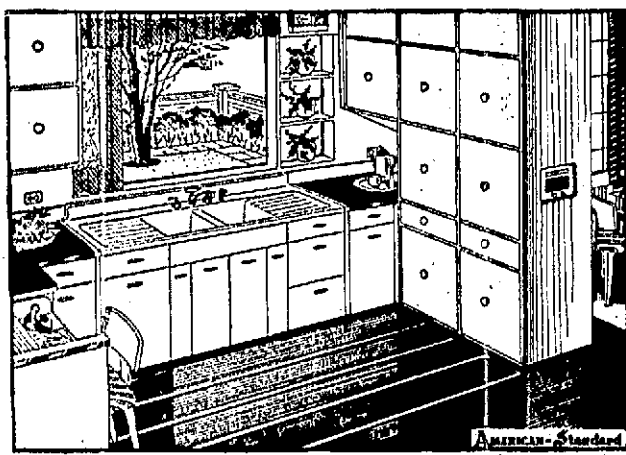
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New York, Jan. 12 (Special)—

A Kingston man, Benjamin N. Ashton of Sunset Park, has satisfied the rigid standards set up by the Engineers Joint Council for inclusion in "Who's Who in Engineering," which has just come off the press here. Only "top-notchers" in the profession were selected for the blue book, which was compiled through the cooperation of national, state and local engineering bodies.

Ashton is president and general manager of Electrol, Inc., at 85 Grand street, Kingston, manufacturer and designer of hydraulic equipment for aircraft and industrial uses. He holds patents for hydraulic valves and special equipment for aircraft.

Included in the volume are only those of "acknowledged professional eminence," those with 10 years' active practice, five of it being in important engineering work, and, finally, teachers of engineering subjects in accredited colleges.

Only about seven per cent of the graduate engineers in the country were accepted for the "Who's Who."

Directors of Federation Men's Club Will Convene

A meeting of the board of directors of the Federation of Protestant Men's Clubs will be held next Monday at the Epworth parlors of the Clinton Avenue Methodist Church. The meeting will start at 8 p. m.

In announcing next week's meeting, Paul Barnum, secretary, said that a meeting of all captains of softball teams would be held at 7:30 p. m. at Epworth parlors prior to the session of the directors.

Several church organizations already have signified their intentions of joining the softball league. Others are requested to send captains or representatives to Monday's meeting.

Local 316 to Meet

City Employees Union Local 316 will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the Y.M.C.A.

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CONGRESSMAN PILOT



Rep. Robert L. Coffey, (above), 31, (D.-Pa.), climbs into an F-80 jet fighter to take off from Andrews Field near Washington, D. C. Coffey, a new Member of Congress, is a former Lieut. Colonel in the Air Force and now is a reserve officer attached to the 334th fighter squadron of the 4th group. His home is in Johnstown, Pa. (AP Wirephoto)

Atomic Rain Would Halt Chances of Living in Town

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
(Associated Press Science Editor)

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—You can't live there if an atomic rain falls on your town.

That is the situation now. No way to clear a town or city is known, and none is in sight.

The emptying of a rain-soaked area may last from a few weeks to several centuries. The one certainty is that it won't last forever.

There are two kinds of atomic rain. One is from an underwater bomb that Bikini blueprinted. The other is from clouds, that zero, the first atomic bomb, gathered.

When atomic rain falls on you, you can live without harm, if you know what to do. If you don't, you may perish. Let's take a case of what would happen if an underwater bomb exploded in New York harbor.

First, there are three pleasant surprises. There will be no flash of searing heat. There will be no killing X-ray flash. There will be no tidal wave.

The top of the water spout may explode, as at Bikini. This explosion will damage the water front. Storm waves will roll high enough at the Battery and up both rivers to damage shipping at the docks.

Will Form Cloud
The spout will form a cloud, explosively expanding, several miles wide, two or three miles high. Its bottom will be about a half mile up. It soon will look like any other cloud, and rain exactly the same. If the wind is right, it will move up Manhattan and expend as it goes.

This atomic storm will blanket the financial district with a heavy deluge. Rain still will be fairly heavy in midtown. Northward over Westchester's suburbs, the cloud will spread to embrace everything between the Hudson river and Connecticut line. The rain will be lighter and the showers spotty.

Every drop will carry dangerous radioactive atoms, of many kinds. In the financial district there will be an added hazard. A wide radioactive fog will spread at high speed in all directions for about a mile around the base of the water spout. It is known as the base surge.

The rain and moisture will emit gamma, or X-rays, that travel far in air and pierce thin walls. The drops also will carry atoms emitting other rays, that travel only short distances.

You will not be able to see, smell, hear or feel these rays. But nowhere in rain or fog will the rays be so strong that you drop dead. Nowhere will they be so strong that an instant's exposure deals you death.

They will be so strong that you cannot face them long. The safety time will be least where the rain is heaviest.

If you are outdoors, your first move will be a dive for the nearest doorway. Your second will be to strip naked if your clothes have picked up any moisture.

Can't Go Indoors
Atomic rain and fog can't follow you indoors, except as your clothes carry them. There now are ways of cleaning such clothes, but they require a special laundry.

On roofs, walls and pavements, the radioactive atoms will settle in a sheet, incredibly thin, but incredibly powerful.

Inside you may be safe in basements. But watch for leaks. You may be safe in one part of a room but not in another part.

Your escape without harm will depend on guidance by trained monitors, who do not now exist. There probably will be outdoor and underground corridors through which to leave the city. There may be no completely safe corridor, but there will be some where you can take brief exposures without too much risk. Be careful where you step. Don't touch anything outdoors.

You can't stay long in New York, because food and water will be contaminated. Midtown and Westchester will

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Dr. Brougher declined to comment on the action, he said, "until I have an opportunity to see what the charges are in detail."

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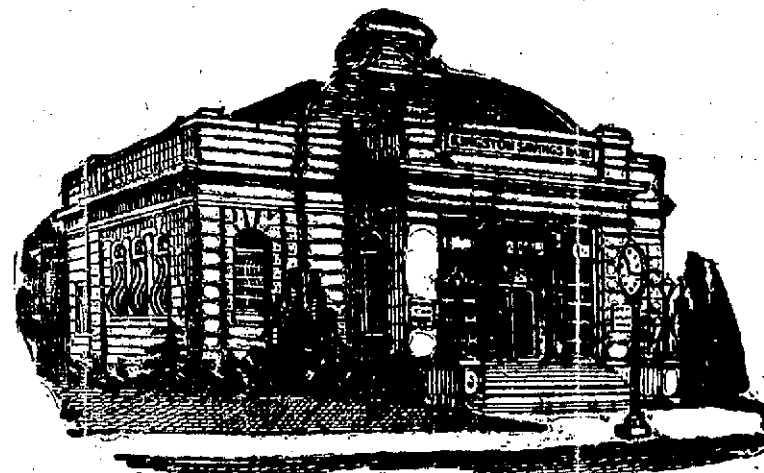
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TRUMAN DEAL FACES LONG HAUL

It might seem that after winning the election, President Truman is capable of almost any feat—even getting his whole domestic program enacted by Congress. But the program is almost certain to be in for a hard fight. And its supporters in Congress have some hard work in store if they are to get the President substantially what he wants.

One problem for Mr. Truman and his capitol lieutenants is to determine what and how much of those State of the Union requests can be tackled in one session. It will take a long time to consider the presidential want list and get some of the items which Congress may approve into operation.

It will also take money for the projected universal military training, St. Lawrence Seaway development, federal housing and education projects, many parts of the farm program, sundry studies, and so on. Mr. Truman has asked \$4,000,000,000 increased revenue in new taxes. But that wouldn't pay for all the things he has in mind. So priority will be important.

Many things on the want list have been asked for before. These include a higher minimum wage, standby price and wage controls, the Truman civil rights program, UMT, medical insurance, the St. Lawrence project, housing and education subsidies and extension of the original reciprocal trade law. It remains to be seen how much better this Congress likes them than its predecessor did.

The Republican-Southern Democrat coalition will probably continue to function. It may well cause Mr. Truman continued trouble. The civil rights program is sure to be fought tooth, nail and filibuster—if the filibuster is still in existence.

The so-called "socialized medicine" plan is also due for some strong opposition. If uncontrolled prices continue their decline, the Democratic leadership may find it hard to sell the need for price controls, even to a Democratic Congress.

Of the new proposals, one will cause plenty of fireworks. That is the request to authorize government construction of steel mills if private industry does not expand as much as the government thinks necessary. Aside from the socialistic aspect of the request, which may even cause some of the President's adherents to hesitate, opponents will point out that steel capacity is already high and going higher.

The present capacity, 96,000,000 tons a year, is the highest in our history—including the war years. And production schedules call for a 98,000,000-ton capacity by the end of 1950. That is getting pretty close to the 100-million-ton goal that CIO President Philip Murray has mentioned.

Further, it takes steel to build mills to provide more steel. With steel already earmarked by private companies for construction purposes, the Administration could run into difficulties persuading some congressmen that the government should get that steel instead.

Naturally, Mr. Truman will find it infinitely easier and pleasanter to work with the 81st instead of the 80th Congress on domestic matters. And a number of his wishes will doubtless be granted without undue trouble. But he may have reason to reflect, from time to time, that in spite of his smashing victory he received fewer votes than the Dewey-Wallace-Thurmond opposition. He may also find that the notion of a "people's mandate" will produce some stormy contradiction on Capitol Hill.

A New York boy's Christmas presents included six sets of Carl Sandburg's life of Lincoln, a store reports. Even for such an excellent book, this is too much of a good thing. It recalls Winston Churchill's lament at the time of his marriage, "What is a man to do with 75 cigarette cases?"

The Germans have some friends. Swiss soccer players have asked the International Football Federation to lift the ban on games with German teams. As they put it, their point sounds good. Swiss football players, they say, like all other Swiss, share the "hate

'These Days'

By GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

THE INDICTMENTS

The Federal Grand Jurors' Association of the Eastern District of New York got up one of those questionnaires which asked a lot of "yes and no" questions, and queried high school teachers, professional engineers, college students and miscellaneous human beings on the subject of the grand jury and how it operates. The answers were discouraging. No matter by what process the answers were calculated, they gave evidence of an astonishing lack of knowledge of one of the most valuable defenses against tyranny.

I was particularly interested in the replies to their question, "what is an indictment?" Seventeen per cent of the miscellaneous, 12 per cent of the college students and 35 per cent of the engineers thought that an indictment was evidence of guilt; astonishingly, 11 per cent thought that an indictment was evidence of innocence.

This explains in a large measure why so many believe that a man is guilty even if he is interrogated by a congressional committee, or why so many are sure that a man, like Alger Hiss, is done for if a grand jury indicts him. The old Anglo-Saxon dictum that a man is innocent until he is proved guilty seems to have passed out of our political thought along with many other fine ideas in these troubled and confused times.

Of course, in the totalitarian countries, a man is guilty if the government says so, with or without trial. Our assumption is that the law exists not only to punish the guilty but to protect the innocent. Our law deals with the individual man and his inalienable rights defined by the Constitution; the totalitarian concept is that the law is an instrument devised by the state, bendable to the purposes of the state.

The grand jury is an ancient institution in Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence. It is a body of "peers," that is, equals in rights and rank, who determine not whether an individual is guilty or innocent but whether he is to be made subject to a trial.

The indictment is merely a formal accusation. The grand jury assures itself that the evidence before it is sufficient not to convince of guilt but to justify an accusation. In gathering such evidence, the grand jury is permitted a latitude wider than will be tolerated at a trial. Grand jury proceedings are in private and secret; a trial is public. The grand jury is not governed by the rules of evidence and therefore may have more information than can be set forth in court.

Should a great public wrong need to be righted, yet it not be possible for the grand jury to indict anyone, it may hand down a presentment, stating the case and recommending public action, even needed legislation. In practice, the grand jury may protect individuals from the malevolence of their neighbors or even the government.

This much ought to be clear: The grand jury is not a body of professional lawyers. The grand jury consists of laymen, theoretically the same kind of men as those who are brought before them. They are not, therefore, concerned so much with the law as with the fact. They are charged to discover the truth under circumstances easier than exists at a trial.

A congressional committee is, in many respects, but not all, like a grand jury. The major distinction is that its sessions are usually, although not always, public. The purposes, however, are different. Whereas the grand jury gathers data to punish the guilty and defend the innocent, the congressional committee seeks data for the purpose of legislating to correct wrongs and improve the general welfare. Should a congressional committee discover that a crime has been committed, it can do nothing about it except present the information to a grand jury.

Congressional committees are often criticized for "doing nothing"; by that is meant that they hold hearings, issue reports, propose legislation—but no one is sent to jail. If the judicial process is necessary, the matter must be shifted from the congressional committee, which has no jurisdiction, to the grand jury, which has jurisdiction under the Fifth Amendment limitation upon both the powers of the legislature as well as the prosecuting officers of the United States.

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That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

THE ELDERLY PATIENT

Now that the life span has increased almost 20 years since 1900, there now are more elderly men and women than any other group—children, teenagers, young adults and the middle aged.

Because there are so many elderly men and women in the world and there are certain ailments and diseases more common to them, a new specialty, geriatrics, has developed, the geriatrician, by giving his whole time to the ailments and diseases of the elderly, can give more effective treatment than the general practitioner busy with patients with more acute or urgent conditions.

However, there is one point that physicians are forgetting when they refer their patients, because they are growing old, to a geriatrician—that is, the feelings of the patient himself as he turns from his trusted friend and the physician to a stranger.

In "Geriatrics," Dr. Herman Seidel, Hebrew Home for Aged, Baltimore, points out that the general practitioner is best suited to assume a leading role in the advancement of the care of the aged. Because he knows the patient's actual physical and also mental and emotional condition, and is practically his teacher and guide, he is best fitted to give his patient the care needed as he approaches old age. And, just because the patient is old or approaching old age, he should not be turned over to another physician just because this other physician is a specialist in the treatment of old-age ailments. There is no reason why he should not continue to be his patient; not the patient of the geriatrician.

It does not help the morale of an elderly patient to be put entirely under the care of the geriatrician. As long as his family doctor continues to see him at stated intervals, he will not consider himself so old that he has been put on the shelf.

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and disgust for the Hitler regime in Germany," but think that the situation has altered now. More than that, they believe that the Germans need to be brought into contact with the rest of the world on a basis of fair competition, such as sports provide.

The Nazis like death in the proverb, loved shining marks. That is probably why they chose for internment in a concentration camp the son of the greatest modern Norwegian, Fridtjof Nansen. That son, Odd Nansen, managed to keep a diary, soon to be published, on thin sheets of paper hidden on a wooden breadboard. The diary should be useful in reminding people of the wickedness of the Nazis and their responsibility for the demoralization of the world today. Too many people are in a hurry to forget.

The Hand of Friendship



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Washington—There has been a divorce between two of the big names in public housing. Sen. Bob Taft, Republican, and Sen. Allen Ellender, Louisiana Democrat.

For several years, their names have been linked on the controversial Taft-Ellender-Wagner housing bill which has never quite sneaked through Congress. Today, however, Ellender is leading a group of Democrats and Taft a group of Republicans in separate, though similar bills.

Here is the inside story of what happened: The government housing agencies hatched a bill which they rushed over to Ellender's office to be introduced in the very early days of the new session. The Senator from Louisiana promptly phoned Taft and invited him to join as co-sponsor.

Taft wanted to study the bill first, but Ellender insisted upon introducing it that same day. So Taft asked for an explanation of the bill over the phone.

"Oh, it's the same as the 'I' bill," Ellender replied, in effect. "Have you read it?" asked Taft. "No," admitted the Louisiana. "Then how do you know it's a good bill?" demanded Taft.

"They told me it's a good bill," assured Ellender. The Senator from Ohio then asked how many public housing units the new bill would authorize.

"Wait a minute," retorted Ellender, and he put the question to someone who apparently was sitting in his office.

"A million," he finally answered. "Over five years?" asked Taft. "Yes, five years," agreed the Senator from Louisiana. But he was interrupted by a protest from the unknown visitor.

"No, seven years," he corrected himself. Taft, therefore, refused to put his name to the bill until he had read it, and Ellender stubbornly refused to delay the bill more than a day. That was how the two former partners on public housing happened to part company and go their own separate ways.

One Southern Lady O.K.'s T. man. When President Truman came to the crucial civil-rights issue in his State of the Union address, he had at least one sympathetic southern listener—eighty-year-old Tolise Gathings who sat on the lap of her daddy, Rep. E. C. Gathings of Arkansas, while the President spoke.

As the white-haired man on the rostrum intoned all those big words, little Tolise listened profoundly and joined enthusiastically in the outbursts of applause. This caused Papa Gathings to beam proudly—until the President started talking about Civil Rights.

Suddenly the southern solons froze in their seats, their hands folded in their laps, and a funeral-parlor hush fell over them. But not Tolise Gathings. She clapped the white-haired gentleman on the rostrum just the same—until her daddy, with an embarrassed flush, reached down and caught his daughter's hands. He didn't let her go, either, until it was safe for an Arkansas Congressman to applaud again.

Sister Senator Smith. Maine's high-flying Sen. Owen Brewster is taking the bows for getting his sister senator, Margaret Chase Smith, appointed to the all-powerful Republican policy committee. What happened was that the day before the announcement, Brewster ostentatiously made public a letter he had written urging Mrs. Smith's appointment.

The truth is, Mrs. Smith had already been selected well before Brewster wrote the letter. And she was selected, not to please Brewster, but to appease the Republican Liberals. Brewster's buddy, Senator Taft, gave him an advance tip that the appointment was to be made, so the resourceful Senator from Maine hastily dictated the letter—so he could take all the credit.

Under The Dome. Sen. Arthur Vandenberg's son, Art, Jr., who has been running his father's office, has presented his dad with two-weeks notice. Young and able, Art, Jr., is dickering for a new job with some New York public relations firms. A total of 662 bills and resolutions was dropped into the house "hopper" the opening day of Congress. New York's Democratic "Manny" Celler led with 35 measures, while G.O.P. Congressman Carl Hinshaw of California introduced 25. It was a great occasion for Colorado's John Carroll and Ohio's representative—elect Stephen Young when they shook hands at the House Democratic caucus. The

Last previous meeting of the two Democrats was on Anzio beachhead, in Italy. . . . Phil Kaiser, now in the Labor Department, will become assistant secretary of labor in charge of international affairs. A good man. . . . If Federal Security Administrator Oscar Ewing's job isn't raised to cabinet status, he will run for governor of New York.

Merry-Go-Round. Last week Sen. Estes Kefauver's father came to Washington to watch his son sworn in as a member of the upper chamber. . . . He was referred to as my son. Now I am his daddy. That's what makes our country better—when a son is better than his daddy.

Freshman Congressman Harry Davenport of East Liberty, Pa., who ousted John McDowell from the House, wears a yellow-colored necktie calling for the defeat of the Taft-Hartley Law. Congressman Davenport is pledged to wear the tie until the act is repealed.

Senator Lyndon Johnson of Texas won a brand new Lee for his election predictions. . . . New Secretary of State Acheson is expected to resume daily press conferences, invaluable to any State Department official who wants to keep in close touch with the public. . . . Acheson is popular with diplomatic newsmen. When he leaves as undersecretary of state, they chipped in four dollars apiece to throw him a farewell party.

In Capitol Cloakrooms. Sen. Ken Wherry, G.O.P. leader in the Senate, has just had one of his trade secrets given away. It has now leaked out that the man who has written most of his speeches since 1942 is Albion Beveridge, who ran last place in Wherry's senatorial primaries. Many of Wherry's fast questions and sharp retorts were worked out for him by Beveridge.

But even more interesting: The man who spilled the beans on Wherry's ghost-writer is his G.O.P. colleague—Senator Vandenberg. The Republican foreign policy chief once counseled when Wherry declined to step down as G.O.P. floor leader when Vandenberg requested it. . . . Only persons who know all the new congressmen by sight is Edith Ridgely, hostess in the House Restaurant. She studied pictures of them in advance, recognized most of them the first day they came in to eat.

Indie Edwards of the women's division of the Democratic party has submitted a list of 15 women whom she wants President Truman to name to high posts in government and the diplomatic service. (Copyright, 1949, The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Twenty and Ten Years Ago. Jan. 12, 1929—Nick Zinna outpointed Johnny Carpio in the armory bouts to win the lightweight championship of the Hudson Valley.

The 13th annual reunion and banquet of the Ulster County Society of New York City was held at the roof garden of the old Waldorf Astoria hotel.

The Freeman thermometer recorded a low of 26 degrees above zero. George Smith of Kyserike died.

Jan. 12, 1939—The New York Ontario & Western railroad filed with the U. S. District Court, a plan for reorganizing the road's finances.

The annual ball of the Kingston Shriners Association drew a crowd of 1,200 to the municipal auditorium.

Michael Wojciechowski died at his home on Third Avenue.

A report of District Attorney Cleon B. Murray showed 25 deaths due to automobile accidents in the county in 1938 as against 37 for the previous year.

Today in Washington

Political Necessity Causes Discard of Word 'Economy' From Government's Vocabulary, Budget Discloses

By DAVID LAWRENCE

Washington, Jan. 12.—Out of a contemplated expenditure of \$41,858,000,000, President Truman apparently could not find any way to cut out even two per cent of the total and consequently he proclaims that the coming fiscal year will show a deficit of \$573,000,000. Expenses are more than in the preceding year by \$1,709,000,000, and spending is to go on on a larger scale than any other year in the history of the United States with the exception of the years of World War II.

In one year America is to spend now more than the amount of the entire war debt at the close of World War I.

The word "economy" has disappeared from the vocabulary of the government, because politics dictates otherwise.

Having won the election by promises of more and more spending and by having told large groups of voters which had benefited by administration favors that the citizens would be "ungrateful" unless they voted for the continuation of the present administration, President Truman probably felt embarrassed about reversing his position and really conserving the nation's finances.

Instead, Mr. Truman now proposes to increase the number of groups to be benefited and he proposes to put more groups under financial and political obligation to the government.

The so-called budget for the coming year is not a true budget at all. It is a political estimate. Actually the receipts are underestimated this time as they have been right along now for several years. This is done to force a change in tax rates by threatening a deficit.

There are evidences that even if the \$41,858,000,000 were spent, the receipts would be big enough to avoid a deficit. But the fact is the administration and the Democratic party in Congress has not the slightest intention of keeping the expenditures down to \$41,858,000,000. The so-called budget will wind up considerably in excess of that sum.

Hence the administration is calling for more taxes. Everybody who works for a living will pay those new taxes directly and indirectly. The taxes deducted from pay rolls will be materially increased so that "take-home pay" will be less.

There are, of course, it will be necessary to increase wages to take care of many of these deductions.

Union leaders will be under pressure to get such increases or else to employ the strike weapon.

With the prospect of emasculating the Taft-Hartley Act so that labor-union leaders will be able to do as they please, work stoppages inevitably will increase.

The theory that this merry-go-round and inflation spiral will end in the near future is hardly plausible in view of the attack on the integrity of the American dollar by the present administration.

The theory of financial markets to rise may not be due to any removal of fears concerning radical legislation by Congress, but to shrewd recognition of the fact that inflation has by no means been stopped and may indeed be given another impetus by the spending program of the government.

Congress is getting ready to boost the salary of President Truman to \$100,000 and to increase his personal expense account. He already has all the expenses of the White House taken care of by a separate appropriation. But the man who is supposed to be close to the people is to be given a bigger salary.

The increase in the President's pay will be taken as a sign everywhere that presidents of companies may feel justified in asking increases for increased compensation. The pattern might be to raise salaries upward in private business for the same reason that it is being done in public business—the dollar is losing its purchasing power. The dollar is being devalued constantly in terms of its real worth in gold.

The American dollar will be measured more and more in terms of years ago by in terms of what the taxation capacity of the American people really is—and not what someone in the government figures out with a paper set of rates.

The request for nearly \$6,000,000,000 more in taxes presumably is to include at least \$2,500,000,000 for debt reduction, but it probably will not go anywhere that far. The money to be derived from tax receipts will be spent for new schemes of so-called social welfare. No program of debt reduction has been enacted nor will any be at the current session. The trend is toward more and more spending and more inflation until the economic system will not be able to stand the strain. Then Congress may let the meaning of the word "economy" (Reproduction Rights Reserved)

AS PEGLER SEES IT

By WESTBROOK PEGLER

President Truman's selection of Dean Acheson, one of the Happy Hot Dogs of the Harvard Law Cabal, for secretary of state, begins to explain his tenacious opposition to the revelations of the Communist treachery in the State Department as related by Whitaker Chambers, Elizabeth Bentley and others.

Frankfurter's lawyer before the Senate judiciary committee when Frankfurter was up for confirmation as justice of the Supreme Court.

Acheson and Frankfurter were sponsors of Alger Hiss and Acheson is now a law partner of Donald Hiss. Frankfurter was only named in the history of the Supreme Court who required a mouthpiece. The opposition to Frankfurter's appointment followed the lines which since have been clearly developed in the disclosure of an invisible government of Frankfurter men. But it could not then go as far as it might if the hearings were held today.

Frankfurter's ghost-writer, Harold Tucker, told Frankfurter told him he picked Henry L. Stimson to be secretary of war and that Frankfurter was the chief sponsor of Alger Hiss both for his earlier jobs in the cells of the New Deal and for his later position of power in the State Department. In that

position Hiss eventually sat with Roosevelt and Stalin at Yalta when Roosevelt signed away the Orient, Poland, the Balkans and it may develop, western Christendom, to the Kremlin.

Alger Hiss also ran the organization sessions of the United Nations at San Francisco subject to the nominal authority of Edward Stettinius, then temporary secretary of state, whose command of his job was shaky that he was quickly replaced by Truman. Hiss writhed on the witness stand before the Thomas Committee last summer in an attempt to squirm away from the committee's insistent demand that he admit that Frankfurter was his sponsor.

"I would prefer, unless you insist, he said, 'not to mention any names in my testimony that I don't feel are absolutely necessary. If you insist on a direct answer, I will comply.'"

Finally, he said: "Another official of the government of the United States who strongly urged me to come to Washington—and I am answering this only because you ask it—was Justice Felix Frankfurter."

In addition to Hiss, now indicted in New York on inferior Continued on Page Seven

So They Say... Questions-Answers

Q—Is there any truth to the old belief that the image of a murderer remains in his victim's eye? A—Scientists generally scoff at the idea because all experiments thus far made point clearly to the fact that the retina, with the out artificial aid is incapable of permanently registering images.

Q—Is it possible to make a screen which one can see through in one direction and not in the other? A—No, not if the illumination is equal on both sides. However, very lightly silvered mirror can be used as a one-way screen for light, if one side is illuminated much more brilliantly than the other. A person on the brightly lighted side looking at it sees only his own reflection, but one on the darkened side can look through.

Q—What is the approximate population of Hawaii? A—Inter-Island air has reduced the population of Hawaii to about 140,000 persons, with Caucasians and Japanese the largest elements among the territory's population of 502,122.

Q—How did the game of whist acquire its name? A—It received its name from the silence originally observed during play.

Q—What are the world's four longest rivers? A—The Nile is 4000 miles long; the Mississippi-Missouri, 4220; the Amazon, 3900 and the Yangtze, 3400 miles.

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300 Elks, Friends Enjoy Irish Night

More than 300 members and friends attended Irish night at Kingston Lodge, 550, B.P.O. Elks, on Fair street, Tuesday and enjoyed a corned beef and cabbage dinner, with a musical program of songs from Old Erin to make the event more delightful.

Francis J. McCardle and John "Buster" McManus, co-chairmen of the affair, were highly complimented upon its success, and they in turn gave credit to the various committees and workers, whom, they said, gave fine co-operation.

Exalted Ruler William Krom, in referring to the enjoyable time

arranged by McManus and McCardle, recalled that they were natives of the same section of Kingston as himself, and insisted that "there could be no real Irish night unless the boys from Wilbur had a leading part."

Before and during the meal Irish songs were played by Clementine Nessel on the piano accordion, and later she accompanied tenor soloist John Long as he sang favorite ballads telling the story of Old Erin and its sons. Dick McCarthy, radio sportscaster, was master of ceremonies.

Elks who served on the Irish night committee were Francis McCardle, John "Buster" McManus, William Quick, Thomas Feeney, Charles Gaffney, Robert Boyle, Michael Gormley, G. D. Logan, Thomas Plunket, Ernest Steuding, William Geary, Thomas Davitt,

Albert J. Melville, Francis McDonough, Joe Kelly, Edward Wynant, Edward J. Noonan, William Barry and John Schwalbach.

Joins Law Firm

John B. Loughran, son of Chief Judge John T. Loughran of the New York State Court of Appeals, has become associated with the firm of Vaughan and Lyons, 70 Pine street, New York city in the general practice of law. Prior to the first of the year Loughran was secretary to Surrogate of New York County James A. Delehanty. Judge Delehanty became counsel to the firm of Vaughan and Lyons on his retirement from the surrogate court bench the first of the year. Prior to becoming secretary to Surrogate Delehanty Loughran was associated with the law office of the City of New York in Kingston which has jurisdiction over legal matters pertaining to the New York city water system outside the city of New York.

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Dr. Alvin Evans, who practiced four years in the state of Wisconsin, has taken over the office and animal hospital of the late Dr. Philip Poley, 456 Albany avenue. Dr. Poley was one of the Hudson valley's leading veterinarians.

Dr. Evans will treat large and small animals, horses, cattle, dogs, cats and others and has plans for giving special attention to poultry. He is a graduate of the New York State College of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine.

During World War 2 he served in the army, and is a member of the American Legion. He is married and has a daughter, Gail Kathrin, aged 15 months. (Freeman photo).

Goes to Florida

Fred J. Johnson, local antique dealer, left Tuesday for Key West, Fla., where he will conduct a gift shop during the winter season.

Blame Wife's Murder On Husband, Brother

Bland, Va., Jan. 12 (AP)—Both the husband and brother-in-law of Mrs. Catherine S. Newberry, 37, whose decapitated body was found yesterday at the foot of a mountain precipice near here, have been charged with murder.

The husband, Ralph Newberry, 37, was arrested late last night and lodged in the Bland County Jail with his brother, Samuel, 30. Sheriff W. M. Price did not reveal upon what evidence the husband—said by police to have been at home drunk at the time of the slaying—had been arrested.

Samuel Newberry was arrested Monday night when he stumbled to the county jail late Monday night and, Price said, blurted out: "I killed Catherine. You can do with me what you want to do now. She was driving me crazy. She was trying to take up with me."

Samuel Newberry, according to Price, said he shot the woman, cut her head off and burned it in a stove in the Newberry home. Later, Price quoted him as saying, he loaded the body into a truck, drove four miles up Big Walker mountain, and hurled the body over the precipice.

Samuel Newberry's directions led police to the body yesterday, Price said.

Mr. and Mrs. Newberry had been married about three months. Samuel, unmarried, lived with them.

Police found parts of charred skull and a dental plate in a stove in the Newberry home.

What Congress Is Doing Today

(By The Associated Press)

Senate

In recess until noon Thursday. Agriculture Committee meets in executive session at 10:30 a. m. to organize.

Interior and Insular Affairs Committee meets in executive session at 10:30 a. m. to organize. Rules and Administration Committee meets in executive session at 3 p. m. to organize.

House

Adjourned until noon Thursday. Ways and Means Committee members study Democratic assignments. Agriculture Subcommittee inquires into cotton situation.

Hearing January 18

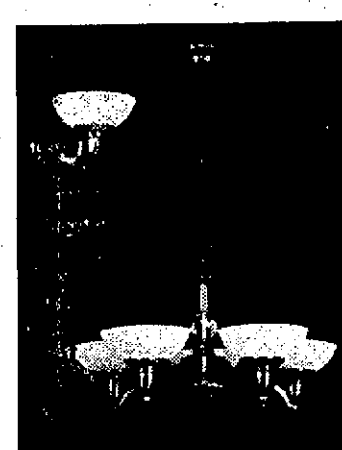
Cleveland, Jan. 12 (AP)—A hearing for Jacob Sackstein, 43, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be held January 18. U. S. Commissioner H. A. Horn decided yesterday. Sackstein was arrested Monday by postal inspectors, who said he was wanted in several states in connection with passing checks found in stolen mail. The specific charge was that he stole a letter mailed here to Irwin Blum, of Yuma, Ariz., containing a \$2,000 certified check. Commissioner Horn placed the defendant under a \$25,000 bond after noting that he was so nervous he could not give coherent answers to questions yesterday. Sackstein was helped back to his cell and examined by a nurse.

Youth Arrested
Roy J. Wright, 19, of R. D. 2, Monticello, was arrested at Monticello Tuesday by County Investigator Clayton W. Vredenburg on a charge of burglary, third degree. Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Percy Bush of the town of Ulster Wright was held for grand jury action. Wright is charged with having entered the summer home of Dr. Martin J.

Williams of Chatham, N. J. The summer home is located in the town of Denning. Articles, including guns, were reported missing.

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President's Raise Bill Speeds to Approval

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—A bill to give President Truman a \$25,000 raise and much more expense money sped today toward expected Senate approval Thursday.

The measure received a 10-to-1 okay late yesterday in the Senate Civil Service Committee.

Its backers are hurrying the pay raise proposal because it must become law before inauguration day January 20 if Mr. Truman is to benefit. The constitution says a President cannot have his salary boosted during his term in office.

Besides giving the President \$100,000 a year in pay plus a tax-free \$50,000 expense account—not counting the \$40,000 he now gets for travel costs and keeping up the White House—the bill would raise the salaries of the vice president, House speaker, cabinet members and other top officials.

Webster Faces Charge

C. Eugene Webster, 66, who has been living at a local hotel, was arrested in Saugerties yesterday on a charge of violation of Section 930 of the Penal Law in that he has been soliciting advertising in the village of Saugerties for a publication with which he is not connected.

Webster was brought to jail by Chief of Police Arthur Richter. Webster was taken before Justice Ernest E. Schirmer of Saugerties and held in \$500 bail for a hearing on January 14 at 10 a. m.

Local Death Record

A solemn Mass of requiem will be offered on the thirtieth anniversary of the death of Vincent A. Gorman at St. Joseph's Church on Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Benjamin S. Smith, 84, of New Paltz, died Monday afternoon after a long illness. He was born in Kripplenhush but had spent most of his life in New Paltz. Surviving are two sons, Alva of Highland and Irving, New Paltz; five daughters, Mrs. Irving Ayers, Mrs. Virgil Turner, Mrs. George Danner, all of New Paltz; Mrs. Elizabeth Terpening, Highland, and Mrs. Oliver Sherman of Ohioville. Twenty-two grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren also survive. Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. from the Pine Funeral Home, New Paltz. Burial will be in the Fairview Cemetery, Stony Brook.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Anne Long, widow of John J. Long, were held this morning at 9 o'clock from the home in East Kingston and at 9:30 o'clock at St. Columba's Church where a high Mass of requiem was offered. The services were largely attended and there were numerous floral pieces and Mass cards. The Rev. Father William L. Brennan officiated and later pronounced final absolution at the graveside. During the offertory the Mass, Miss Barbara Bruck sang Ave Maria and at the conclusion she sang Panis Angelicus. Theodore Riccobono was at the organ. Tuesday night, the Rev. Father Brennan led in the recitation of the Rosary at the home. Bearers were David Post, John Macchione, James Gorman, George Dougherty, Jr., George Hainer and John Hainer. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Grand Jury to Hear Deputy Sheriff's Case

Carmel, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—The activities of suspended Deputy Sheriff John Widman came under scrutiny of a Putnam County Grand Jury today.

Widman has been held on grand larceny charges, pending the grand jury inquiry into absolute charges. The charges were filed by District Attorney Fred Dickenson on the basis of evidence turned up during an investigation of an alleged New Year's Eve drinking party in the county jail.

Widman and his wife, who was a jail matron, together with two jail wardens, were suspended Saturday as a result of the alleged party. Widman later was arrested accused of stealing food and equipment from the county jail. He won a round yesterday in his fight to gain release on bail.

On motion of Widman's counsel, State Supreme Court Justice Lee Parsons Davis ordered Dickenson to show cause Friday why "reasonable bail" should not be granted.

At Widman's arraignment before a justice of the peace, Dickenson asked that bail be set at \$25,000. Since this is higher bail than a justice of the peace may set, Widman was remanded to jail.

Dickenson said state police had found a truckload of goods, allegedly taken from the county jail, at Widman's Putnam Lake home.

The suspended officer also was accused of taking a sanding machine from a bankrupt plant placed in custody of the sheriff's office.

Kingston Elementary Teachers' Club Meeting

The first meeting in the new year of the Kingston Elementary Teachers' Club will be held Thursday, January 13, at School 6 at 3:45.

This club has been accepted into The Association for Childhood Education (International). Imperative questions relative to the Kingston club being affiliated with the A.C.E.I. must be discussed and settled at this meeting.

After the business meeting small study groups will meet in different rooms to consider problems pertaining to their grades.

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James H. Schaffner, 25, World War 2 veteran of Buffalo, whose physician gives him less than five months to live, appealed to the "people of the United States" in a "petition of right" to grant him an honorable discharge. The petition states that he contracted tuberculosis while imprisoned legally by U. S. Army courts-martial for going AWOL to attend his wife and their new-born child. (AP Wirephoto)

Financial and Commercial

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—The stock market slumped in a narrowly irregular price range today.

The general tendency seemed to be upward but there was no push behind demand and numerous issues sold at slight losses. Changes either way were mostly less than a point.

Turnover continued at a sluggish rate.

Most of the President's policies have been laid out in the open but many traders are now waiting for congressional reaction before taking an aggressive stand in the market.

Higher prices were paid for Santa Fe, Union Pacific, Atlantic Coast Line, Illinois Central, Texas Co., United Co., United Air Lines, Eastern Air Lines, General Motors, Chrysler, Woolworth, Caterpillar Tractor, Consolidated Vultee, Schenley, American Can, Dow Chemical, and International Paper.

Lower were Homestake Mining, Dome Mines, U. S. Steel, Bethlehem Steel, Douglas Aircraft, American Telephone, Kennecott Copper, du Pont, American Woolen, Pennsylvania R.R., and Standard Oil (N. J.).

Corporate bonds followed an unusually narrow range. U. S. Government bonds tended upward in over-the-counter dealings.

Higher in the curb were Goldfield Consolidated Mines (on a large number of shares but the stock is priced below a point), Humble Oil, Kaiser-Fraser, Mining Corp. of Canada, American Petroleum, Arkansas Natural Gas, Colonial Airlines, and Raytheon Mfg.

Lower were Cities Service, Creole Petroleum, Electric Bond & Share, Northrop Aircraft, and Pantepec Oil.

Quotations at 1 O'Clock

American Airlines	87 1/2
American Can Co.	87 1/2
American Chain Co.	21 1/2
American Locomotive Co.	18
American Rolling Mills	26
American Radiator	14 1/2
Am. Smelting & Refining Co.	55 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	149 3/4
American Tobacco	63 3/4
Anacosta Copper	35
Atch. Topoka & Santa Fe	103 3/4
Aviation Corporation	7 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	12 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio R. R.	10 1/2
Bond	33 1/2
Borden	38
Bethlehem Steel	40 1/2
Briggs Mfg. Co.	30 1/2
Burlington Mills	18 3/4
Burroughs Adding Mach. Co.	15
Canadac Pacific Ry.	14
Case, J. I.	30 1/2
Celanese Corp.	31
Central Hudson	34
Chesapeake & Ohio R. R.	57
Chrysler Corp.	11 1/4
Columbia Gas & Elec. Co.	17 1/4
Commercial Solvents	23 3/4
Consolidated Edison	55 1/2
Continental Oil	33 1/2
Continental Can Co.	8 3/4
Curtis Wright Common	30 1/2
Cuban American Sugar	30 1/2
Delaware & Hudson	51 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	16 1/4
Eastern Airlines	44 1/4
Eastman Kodak	41 1/2
Electric Autolite	18 3/4
Electric Boat	15 3/4
E. I. DuPont	13 3/4
Eric R. R.	10 1/2
General Electric Co.	50 3/4
General Motors	41
General Foods Corp.	44 1/4
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	44 1/4
Great Northern Pfd.	41
Hercules Powder	45 3/4
Hudson Motors	13 1/4
Int. Central	24 1/2
Int. Harvester Co.	27 1/2
International Nickel	30 1/2
Int. Paper	60 3/4
Int. Tel. & Tel.	9 3/4
Johns-Manville & Co.	30 3/4
Jones & Laughlin	32 1/4
Kennecott Copper	55 3/4
Liggett Myers Tob. B.	87
Loew's, Inc.	15 1/2
Lockhead Aircraft	18 1/4
Mack Truck, Inc.	14 3/4
McKesson & Robbins	31 3/4
Montgomery Ward & Co.	55 3/4
Nash Kelvator	15
National Biscuit	31 3/4
National Dairy Products	28 3/4
New York Central R. R.	12 3/4
North American Co.	16 1/2
Northern Pacific Co.	16 3/4
Packard Motors	41 1/4
Pan American Airways	8 1/4
Paramount Pictures	23 3/4
J. C. Penney	24 1/2
Pennsylvania R. R.	17 1/2
Pepsi Cola	9 3/4
Phelps Dodge	51 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	53
Public Service (Elec. & Gas)	20 3/4
Pullman Co.	34 3/4
Radio Corp. of America	13 3/4
Republic Steel	26 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco Class B.	35 3/4
Schenley	30 3/4
Sears, Roebuck & Co.	30 3/4
Sinclair Oil	22 3/4
Socony Vacuum	17
Southern Pacific	48 3/4
Southern Railroad Co.	30 1/2
Standard Brands Co. (new)	21
Standard Oil of N. J.	72 1/2
Standard Oil of Ind.	40 3/4
Stewart Warner	14
Studebaker Corp.	21
Texas Corp.	53 3/4
Timken Roller Bearing Co.	42 1/4
Union Pacific R. R.	85
United Aircraft	23 3/4
U. S. Rubber Co.	40 3/4
U. S. Steel Corp.	72
Western Union Tel. Co.	13 3/4
Westinghouse El. & Mfg. Co.	25 3/4
Woolworth Co. (F.W.)	46
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	72

THE NAVY TRAINS WOMEN LINE OFFICERS



Learning the ins and outs of a gun are these women; first of a group of women line officers trained by the Navy, at the Naval Base in Newport, R. I. After a five-month period of study and training they will become the first women line officers in the Navy's history. (AP Wirephoto)

Chandler Fines 2 Men \$500 Each; \$2,000 for Giants

Cincinnati, Jan. 12 (AP)—Leo Durocher, manager of the New York Giants, and Freddie Fitzsimmons, former Boston Braves coach, were fined \$500 each by Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler today.

The men were found guilty of negotiating a contract for 1949 while Fitzsimmons still was a member of the Braves club.

The New York club was fined \$2,000 for violating the tampering rule.

That rule prohibits any club from dealing for a player or coach's services while he still is under contract to another team.

The commissioner had that Fitzsimmons' contract with Boston did not end until Dec. 31, 1948, some time before that, he said, Durocher and Fitzsimmons closed a deal whereby "Freddie" would become a coach for the Giants.

White Farmer Acquitted Of Negro's Murder

Lyons, Ga., Jan. 12 (AP)—A white farmer was acquitted of murder yesterday after two members of the all-white jury testified they did not believe his sworn testimony of the slain negro's widow.

William L. (Spud) Howell was found innocent of charges of murdering Robert Mallard, prosperous negro cigar salesman. The slaying was classified as a lynching by Tuskegee Institute.

Two members of the trial jury were called to the stand as character witnesses for Howell. Together with nine other defense witnesses, they said, Howell's character was good and that he would not believe Amy Mallard, the widow, under oath.

Calling members of the jury to the stand as character witnesses is rare, but is sanctioned under Georgia's criminal code.

The jury was out only 25 minutes. The state prosecutor then asked that charges against Robert Clifford, a co-defendant, be nolle prossed. This was done over the objection of Defense Attorney T. Ross Sharpe, who said he wanted an outright acquittal for Clifford.

The widow's testimony, interrupted when she became hysterical, followed the same line as earlier statements. That her husband was shot in death after their car was stopped by a mob of 20 or more white men, who were wearing "white this gas." She pointed out Howell as one of the men in the group.

Three Are Arrested

Storrs, Conn., Jan. 12 (AP)—State Police Commissioner Edward J. Hickey said today that two students and a man described as a professional gambler are under arrest in connection with the alleged operation of a basketball pool at the University of Connecticut. He described them as Theodore Hodel, 21, and Emanuel Gottsdienner, 21, both juniors and residents of New London; and Isadore Brickman, 30, also of New London. Hickey said the arrests resulted from complaints by University authorities that "professional gamblers have invaded the campus," and asking that "their activities be wiped out at all costs."

Hasbrock Social Club

Plans for the forthcoming minstrel show will be arranged during a special meeting of the Hasbrock Social Club next Monday, January 17 at 8 p. m. The chairman of the minstrel committee requests a full attendance of members.

Elections Held

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John J. Van Gonsie, William J. O'Reilly, John N. Cordt, William F. Edelmuth, Dr. John F. Larkin, Carl A. Weber, John V. O'Connor, William J. Dwyer, John N. Cashin, Irving L. Eyles, James A. Dwyer and Clarence S. Rowland.

New York Has Big Jobless List

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—Unemployment in New York state at the end of 1948 was about 30 per cent higher than a year ago, according to State Industrial Commissioner Edward Corsi.

The increase does not mean a recession is coming, however, Corsi said in an interview yesterday. "It is just a tapering off from record high employment levels," he declared.

Records at Corsi's office showed that 45,000 persons were added to the state unemployment insurance rolls last week, one of the largest increases in the 13-year history of the insurance system.

The rise brought the total drawing jobless insurance and veterans' readjustment benefits to 455,000, an increase of 65 per cent in the past three months.

Most of the increase in unemployment was registered in New York city. The rolls here rose from 197,000 in the week ended Oct. 8 to 293,000 last week. Last week's increase alone was 33,000.

According to the Department of Labor, which Corsi heads, there were 397,000 persons claiming unemployment insurance benefits in the state for the week ended Dec. 31, 1948. In the comparable week ended Jan. 2, 1948, the figure was 301,000.

Are covered by the state's unemployment insurance system, so that the percentage of unemployment among covered workers in the last week of December, 1948, was about seven per cent.

Department of Labor statistics estimate the number of jobless among both covered and uncovered workers runs 20 per cent higher than the number of benefit claims. On this basis, the state's total unemployment for the week ended Dec. 31 was 476,000.

Corsi said among the causes of joblessness were lack of orders in industrial plants, shortages of materials and a general lack of willingness of closing departments for inventories.

Blonde Needs Money In Marijuana Fight

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—Dancer Vicki Evans says she is anxious to get back to California to "clear my name" of marijuana possession charges, but needs funds for the trip.

The 25-year-old blonde failed to appear for trial Monday in a Los Angeles court that convicted three other defendants, including film star Robert Mitchum.

By failing to appear, Miss Evans forfeited a \$1,000 bail bond. A bench warrant was issued for her arrest.

In her lawyer's office here yesterday, she told reporters "I'm going back as soon as I can get the money from my family." She said she was without funds because one without funds he "this thing is cleared up."

Miss Evans said she did not intend to follow the legal advice of Mitchum, actress Lila Leeds and real-estate salesman Robin Ford. The three waived a jury trial, and submitted their cases on the basis of a transcript of grand jury testimony. They were convicted of conspiracy to possess narcotics.

Miss Evans said she intends to "defend" herself against the charge.

Got Wrong Coat

Someone exchanged a black knobby wool coat at the Around-the-World Cafeteria supper in the Y.M.C.A. Monday night according to a report from the "Y" this morning.

Mrs. George Dingee of 108 Wilson avenue has notified the local association that her size 18 black knobby wool coat with cuffs was taken while she attended the dinner. In its place was left a similar coat in black knobby wool with Persian lamb collar.

The person having the other coat is asked to contact the Y.M.C.A., telephone 1911. Arrangements will be made for returning the coats to their proper owners.

Crash, No Injuries

Occupants of two autos in slight collision early Tuesday afternoon at Broadway and Greenkill avenue, escaped unharmed, according to the police. One car, operated by a driver, 48 Second avenue, was headed east on Greenkill avenue and turning right into Broadway and the other, driven by Bernard Becker of Eddyley, was traveling south on Broadway when they collided. Both reported damage.

J. N. King Dies

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—John N. King, 60, of 1930 Nelson avenue, the Bronx, assistant clerk in charge of the municipal court part of the Bronx magistrate's court for the past 19 years, died yesterday shortly after collapsing on the street in front of the court.

King is survived by a sister, Grace, and a brother, Charles, an employee of the city retirement system, both of the Nelson avenue address.

Concern Is Expressed

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—Undersecretary of State Lovett said today the United States had expressed concern to the British government over troop movements in the Palestine area prior to British reinforcement of the Port of Aquaba. Lovett told a news conference that any development in the Palestine area preliminary to the true talks at Rhodes was a source of apprehension for the United States.

The Joiners

News of Interest to Fraternal Organizations

The regular meeting of Clinton Chapter 445, O. E. S. will be held at Masonic Temple, Friday at 7:45 p. m. The retiring officers for 1948 will present their reports and the installation of officers for 1949 will be held. All Eastern Stars and Master Masons are invited. Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Make Colored Sugar

Let the youngsters in your family make their own colored sugar for topping cookies or cake or pudding desserts. As they have to do is rub a drop or two of vegetable coloring into a little granulated sugar.

Callanan May Build Asphalt Plant Locally

Plans for a reported program of expansion at the Connelly plant of Callanan Road Improvement Co., are expected to include the erection of an asphalt plant. It was learned from unofficial sources today.

A representative of the plant at the local office said he was not authorized to give information, but it was learned from other sources that shipments of heavy equipment and structural units were being shipped to the Connelly plant in preparation for new construction work there.

Further information is expected to be received later from the head of the concern at South Bethlehem.

Electronics Highway Becomes Crowded

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—Television's new electronic highway stretching from the Atlantic to the Mississippi became a crowded thoroughfare today as the networks took it over for regular commercial programs.

The 2,100-mile "highway" went into operation as a single network covering an area with one-fourth the nation's population with the opening of a \$12,500,000 coaxial cable between Philadelphia and Cleveland.

This link, opened last night with an elaborate ceremony, connected the separate east coast and midwest television hookups of the Bell System. The enlarged network serves 14 cities with 32 stations—more than half the total now in operation. Three other cities have access to the hookup.

The Bell System television hookup, using both underground coaxial cable and radio relay towers, serves stations in these cities: St. Louis, Chicago, Milwaukee, Toledo, Detroit, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond.

Programs from the network also are accessible to stations in Schenectady, N. Y., New Haven, Conn., and Newark, N. J.

The linking of the east and midwest represents a big step toward coast-to-coast television, but it may be four or five years yet before the talent centers of New York and Hollywood are connected.

Last night's inaugural program was a joint affair with the Telephone Company, the four network companies—A.B.C., N.B.C., C.B.S. and DuMont—and public officials taking part.

Chicago portions of the program came in sharp and bright on television screens in New York city, with quality practically equal to that of telecasts originating locally.

Two Negligence Cases Are Announced Settled

Two negligence actions were announced settled in Supreme Court Tuesday. They are:

No. 122, Norman Crotty against Alois Bosch and No. 123, Kathleen A. Schick against Alois Bosch, N. Le Van Haver for plaintiff Crotty and Connelly & Connelly for Schick and Chris J. Flanagan for defendant.

No. 98, 99 and 100, negligence actions brought by Ella DiStasi, Andrew Messina and another and Philip Messina against Ira Salkin, were moved for trial. N. Le Van Haver for plaintiffs and James E. Carroll for defendant.

May Be Modified

Buenos Aires, Jan. 12 (AP)—The English-language Buenos Aires Herald expressed belief today that when Argentina adopts her amended constitution, the proposal to compel naturalization of foreigners will be modified. The long-established Herald daily was the only English newspaper here to comment on the proposal, announced yesterday by President Juan D. Peron. It provides that foreigners living here two years or more must become citizens or leave the country. The rule would affect some 4,000 Americans, 30,000 Britons and hundreds of thousands of other foreigners. Hasty conclusions should be avoided," the Herald said.

Coldest in New York

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—The coldest weather so far this winter nipped New Yorkers today. Sub-zero temperatures were recorded overnight in the northern portion. Massena reported three below, and Canton, one below. In the rest of the state temperatures ranged from above at Rome to 30 in New York city. The Weather Bureau said highs today would be generally in the mid-twenties. Continued cold was forecast for tomorrow.

Co. M to Meet

There will be a meeting of Company M Veterans Association Thursday at 8 p. m. in the American Legion Memorial Building on West O'Reilly street to nominate officers for 1949 and make arrangements for the annual dinner to be held during February in the New York State Armory.

Murtagh Will ...

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accused big distributors of collusion to fix prices. They have denied the charge.

A Borden spokesman said yesterday the company had "equalized" prices to all chain stores by reducing the discount it formerly allowed A. and P.

Murtagh, in asking A. and P. to cut its prices, had said it bought milk from Borden for 1.3 cents less than prices paid by other retailers.

The Borden spokesman said "recent publicity" had caused "grossly erroneous interpretations of our pricing policy" and the chain store prices were equalized "completely and fully clarified."

Murtagh praised A. and P.'s price-cutting action, which applies to all of the New York city area. The chain sells 35,000,000 quarts of milk annually, about 4 per cent of all sales, Murtagh said. On Staten Island, the price is one cent higher than for other boroughs.

The H. C. Bohack Co., which operates 200 grocery stores in Brooklyn and Queens, also announced today it was reducing all retail milk prices by one cent a quart immediately.

About the Folks

Robert J. Baylon, 3 Elmendorf street, is a patient at the Kingston Hospital where he underwent an operation Tuesday.

Robert Purvis, 54 Grand View avenue, interior decorator, will enter the Veterans' Hospital in the Bronx Monday for an eye operation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Purvis, 12 Prince street.

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Mental Hygiene Group Has Plans For Program Here

The newly-organized mental hygiene committee of the Ulster County Tuberculosis and Health Association met Monday evening at the county building to discuss program plans and aims.

The mental hygiene committee, composed of various interested representatives in the county, was formed to conduct an educational program in mental health as a immediate and positive deterrent to mental illness.

Dr. Edward Shea, chairman of the mental hygiene committee, pointed out that the committee's job is one of facilitating a proven mental health program in this area, it is not one of treating the mentally ill.

Recent advances in the field of psychiatry have shown the need for positive and preventive measures in mental health. It is now known that mental illness, like other disease, has symptoms, and that the early detection of these symptoms makes the cure much more simple and effective.

One of the purposes of the mental hygiene committee is to make available to the public authoritative information in this field. The initial educational program will be a series of radio transcription talks, with transcripts in his file. The series, titled "The Tenth Man," is narrated by film star Ralph Bellamy. The title refers to the fact that statistics show that unless preventive measures are taken, one person in every 10 will require psychiatric treatment at some time in his life. The transcription will be heard every Monday over Station WKNY at 8:30 p. m., beginning January 31, and will be followed by a panel discussion carried on by local authorities.

To introduce the "Tenth Man" series, an open meeting will be held on Monday, Jan. 24, at 8 p. m. in the crystal room of the Governor Clinton Hotel. From 8:30 to 9 p. m. the meeting will be broadcast on Station WKNY in order to acquaint the public with the initial project of the mental hygiene committee. The representatives of all interested civic groups in Ulster county are invited to attend this open meeting.

New York City Produce Market

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—Flour firm: (72 per cent extraction—100 lbs.) spring patents 5.85-6.05; eastern soft winter straights 5.60-6.10; hard winter straights 5.70-6.00.

Rye flour steady: Fancy patents (100 lbs.) 5.30-5.40.

Commeal steady: (100 lbs.) white granulated 5.45-5.55; yellow 4.45-4.55.

Buckwheat steady: Export and domestic (100 lbs.) 3.80-3.90.

Feed steady: Western bran, per ton basis, Buffalo 57.00-58.00.

Beans steady: (Jobbing sales on spot market—100 lbs.) pea 8.65; red kidney 9.00.

N—Nominal; A—Asked.

Butter 53.997, firm. Wholesale prices on bulk cartons. Creamery, higher than 92 score and premium marks (A) 63 1/2; 92 score (A) 62 1/2-63.50 score (B) 62 1/2, 50 score (C) 61-61 1/2.

Cheese 552.231, steady. Prices unchanged.

Eggs 21.451, easy. Nearby: (Top quotations on nearby white and brown eggs represent highest wholesale selling prices for the finest marks available, and not paying prices to producers or shippers.) Whites: Extra fancy heavyweights 54-55; mediums 50-51. Browns: Extra fancy heavyweights 53; fancy heavyweights 51-52; mediums 48-49.

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Bill—I see they have dug up in Egypt a lipstick that is over 2,000 years old.
Hermie—Oh, you can't fool me. This is only 1949 now.

Mother—Billy, do you know what happens to little boys who tell lies?
Billy—Sure, they ride for half fare.

The family and the dinner guests had seated themselves at the table.
Mother—Betty, why on earth didn't you put a knife and fork by Mr. White's place?
Betty—He doesn't need them. Daddy said he eats like a horse.

Not in the Joke Column. Either strange how typographical errors in the news sometimes bring out the truth in an item. The following appeared in a (Kam.) newspaper: The doctor felt the patient's pulse and announced there was no hope.

Barber (Whispering to new helper)—Here comes a man for a shave.

chewing helps keep your teeth bright

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(Registered U. S. Patent Office) By Jimmy Hatlo

O.K. CATS! DON'T STOP! THIS OUGHTA KEEP YOU JUMPIN' FOR ANOTHER HOUR OR SO. HIT IT!

OH, GOODY! I WAS AFRAID THIS DANCE WAS OVER—I COULD GO ON LIKE THIS FOREVER!

THAT LITTLE GUY LOOKS LIKE HE OUGHTA SIT THIS ONE OUT IN A REST HOME—WE'LL HAVE TO PICK HIM UP WITH A SPONGE

SHORTY TOT'S TONS OF MAIL ALL DAY AT THE POST OFFICE—NOW HE'S GOT TO PUSH A TON OF FEMALE

THIS IS GRUESOMER THAN THE RASSELIN' MATCHES ON TELEVISION—

AND THE BAND PLAYED ON—
THANKS AND A TIP OF HAT TO THE TROMBONE DERBY TO BILLY BOY—
234 KNOXWOOD AV.,
MAMARONECK, N.Y.

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger

Apprentice—Let me practice on him.
Barber—All right, but be careful and don't cut yourself.
He—Don't act like a fool. She—There you go—you want a monopoly of everything.
There is no royal road to achievement. To be great you must be resolute, valiant, and tireless in your quest.

Little Horace was wearing his first pair of real pants. He felt that at last he was a man among men. He strutted up and down and finally he went up to his mother and asked: "Mother, can I call pa Bill now?"

If you want to get in bad with some birds just refuse to go along with their racket.

FURNITURE DEPT.

"Never mind delivering it, we'll sleep right here—the hotels are filled up!"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER

"Soup du jour means soup of the day—soup of the day means yesterday's soup with more barley!"

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

WHAT ELSE COULD GO BY? WE LOST THE ROAD—I THOUGHT THOSE HORSE TRACKS MIGHT BE IT!

DON'T EVER FOLLOW A HORSE IN THIS THING—THEY TAKE SHORT CUTS!

BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

with MAJOR HOOPLE

TWO OF MY SISTER'S CHILDREN ARE SICK, AND THAT MEANS I'LL BE AWAY A WEEK OR SO—I DON'T WANT TO RETURN AND FIND ANY LEOPARDSKIN RUGS FROM CIGAR BURNS OR BIRD'S NEST BEDS!

EGAD, MARTHA! YOU KNOW I AM THE SOUL OF TIDINESS—ALSO I CAN COOK A FEW DELICACIES! BUT WE'LL SORELY MISS YOUR GRACEFUL PRESENCE!

THE MINUTE HE APPROACHES THE STOVE, I'M EQUALING THE 100-METER RECORD TO CHILI JOE'S!

KEEP SPAGHETTI OUT OF THE PIANO

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WRONG HOBBY

By MERRILL BLOSSER

MYRTLE! DO YOU REALLY GIVE SKIING LESSONS?

JUST BUCKLE ON YOUR BOARDS, ARLO, AND YOU'LL FIND OUT!

SKIING LESSONS APPOINTMENT ONLY

THIS STANDING AROUND LIKE A WOODEN INDIAN IS RIDIC!

LEARN TO STAND AROUND LIKE A SKIER, THEN!

NOW, WATCH CLOSELY! THIS IS A KICK TURN!

OH, ME, WHY DIDN'T I TAKE UP NEEDLEPOINT?

DONALD DUCK

CAN YOU TIE THAT? (Registered U. S. Patent Office) By Walt Disney

REMEMBER, HALF THE MILLIONAIRES IN OUR COUNTRY STARTED ON A SHOE STRING!

OH, I'VE FORGOT! I FORGOT TO PUT THIS SLIP IN THE MILK BOTTLE!

OKAY! NOW WHAT DO I DO WITH IT?

BLONDIE

SECOND WIND!

(Registered U. S. Patent Office) By CHUCK YOUNG

I'M SO TIRED I DON'T THINK I CAN EVEN CLIMB THE STAIRS TO BED

I'LL CARRY YOU UP, DEAR

OH, GOODNESS! I FORGOT TO PUT THIS SLIP IN THE MILK BOTTLE!

BUGS BUNNY

YEP, IT WORKS

THIS NEW "FOLDIN' BED" IS GONNA SAVE ME PLENTY O' SPACE!

TH' GUY SAID T' PUSH TH' BUTTON AN' IT WOULD FOLD UP... HMM... MUST BE ON TH' OTHER SIDE.

IT'S SUPPOSED T' BE AUTOMATIC...

AN' IT IS!

HENRY

by Carl Anderson

SLIPPERY WHEN WET

ALWAYS SLIPPERY

LFL ABNER

SMILES THAT MAKE YOU SAPPY!!

By Al Capp

AH, REJECTS YOU, DUMPKINGTON VAN LUMPY—YOU AN' VORE PAT, SLEEPY! WILL GIVE YOU NOTHING! PERSONAL IN THIS—BUT AH HATES EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU!!

FO' TH' GOOD O' HUMANITY—WHY DON'T YOU GO JUMP IN A LAKE?

LOOK! LOOK! STOP HER! SHE'S THE LUCKIEST GIRL IN THE WORLD!!

WASH TUBS

BACK FROM THE GRAVE

By LESLIE TURNER

SINCE I CAN'T THROW NO LIGHT ON THE CRIME, I'LL BID YOU GOODNIGHT!

OH, BUT YOU CAN, SNEATH!

EASY!

IF SNEATH APPEARS A TRIFLE DUMBFOUNDED, IT'S BECAUSE HE THOUGHT HE'D MURDERED ME IN A BOX SEVERAL NIGHTS AGO!

PRE-POS-TEROUS! I ARREST YOU FOR THE MURDER OF RIGADOWN MALIKE, CAPTAIN! IF YOU'RE READY TO MAKE A STATEMENT, I'LL OLD MR. SNEATH IN CASE HE HAS ANY QUESTIONING!

I'M READY, SUH!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

GOT HIM!

By EDGAR MARTIN

"LOVESICK", EH?

ALLEY OOP

AFTERMATH

By V. T. HAMLEN

WELL, SIS, I HOPE YOU'RE HAPPY—THAT MOOVIAN WAR CRIMINAL HAS ESCAPED!

MY GOODNESS, POKABABA, HE WAS RESCUED BY HIS OWN PEOPLE—I HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH IT!

IF YOU HADN'T DELAYED TH' SHOW, WEDD AN'AD HIM EXECUTED!

AN' SUMPIN' ELSE, WO MY EXECUTIONER'S AX?

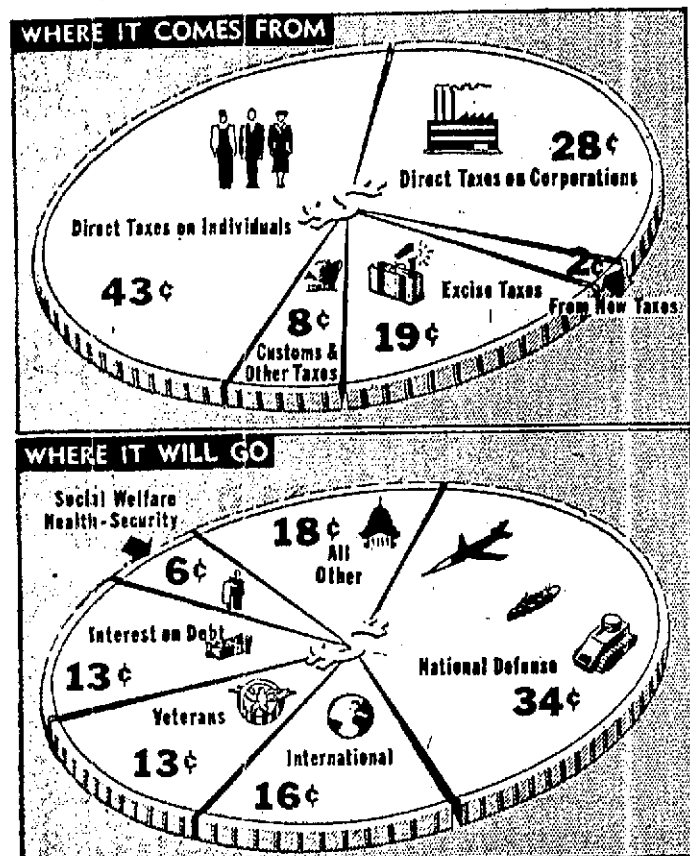
YEH, DAUGHTER—HOW ABOUT THAT?

OH, DEAR, I...

AS MUCH AS I GOT AGAINST THESE LEVIN'S, I'D SETTLE FOR TH' RETURN OF MY OL' AX!

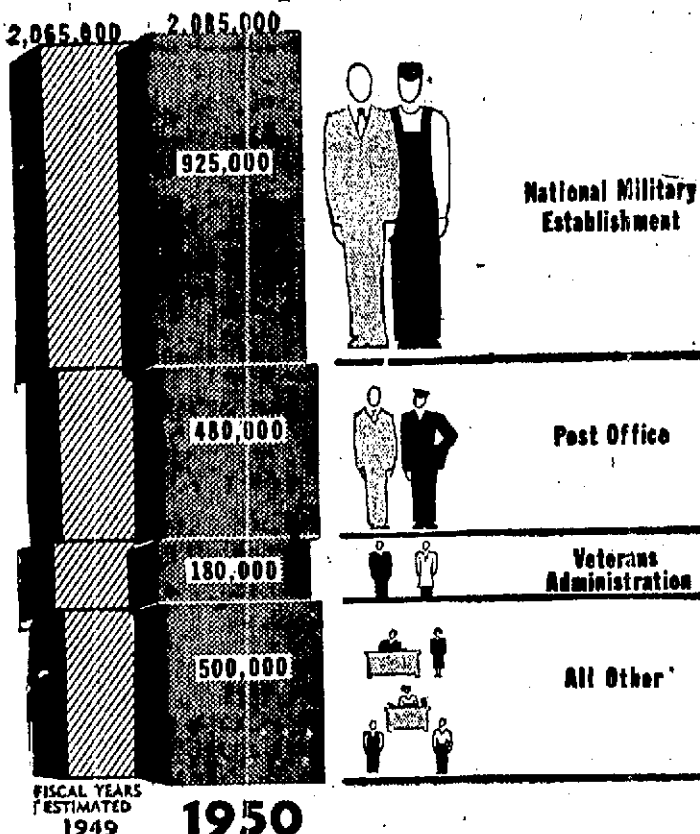
Highlights of the President's Budget Message

Where Your Tax Dollar Goes



This chart shows who kicks in with the tax dollars that Uncle Sam needs so many of—and how he splits them up to keep the U. S. rolling along.

Federal Employment Going Up



President Truman's estimated budget for fiscal 1950 calls for an increase of 20,000 civilian employees in the executive branch over the number estimated for fiscal 1949, which ends June 30. Note that civilian employees needed by the armed forces is close to the total of 116,000 required by all other executive departments.

U.J.A. Conference Opens in Jersey

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 12 (AP)—The 10th anniversary national conference of the United Jewish Appeal will open today with some 1,200 delegates expected to attend the two-day meeting.

The U.J.A. said yesterday it had raised \$150,000,000 in its 1948 campaign, and declared it the largest sum ever raised through voluntary giving in this country.

The amount was \$100,000,000 short of the goal set at last year's conference, but was \$30,000,000 more than was contributed in 1947.

The conference will devote its

attention to "the problem of transferring some 200,000 homeless Jews from Europe to Israel during 1949."

U.J.A. leaders are trying to get former Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., to accept the organization's general chairmanship for a third year.

A spokesman for the U.J.A., who refused the use of his name, said Morgenthau's acceptance was contingent on whether Henry Morgenthau of New York would be asked to act again as an executive vice chairman. Morgenthau resigned last year.

Major Problem

Synthetic liquid fuel production from natural gas, oil shale, tar sands, and coal, is a major problem with the petroleum industry.

National Defense Gets Big Slice

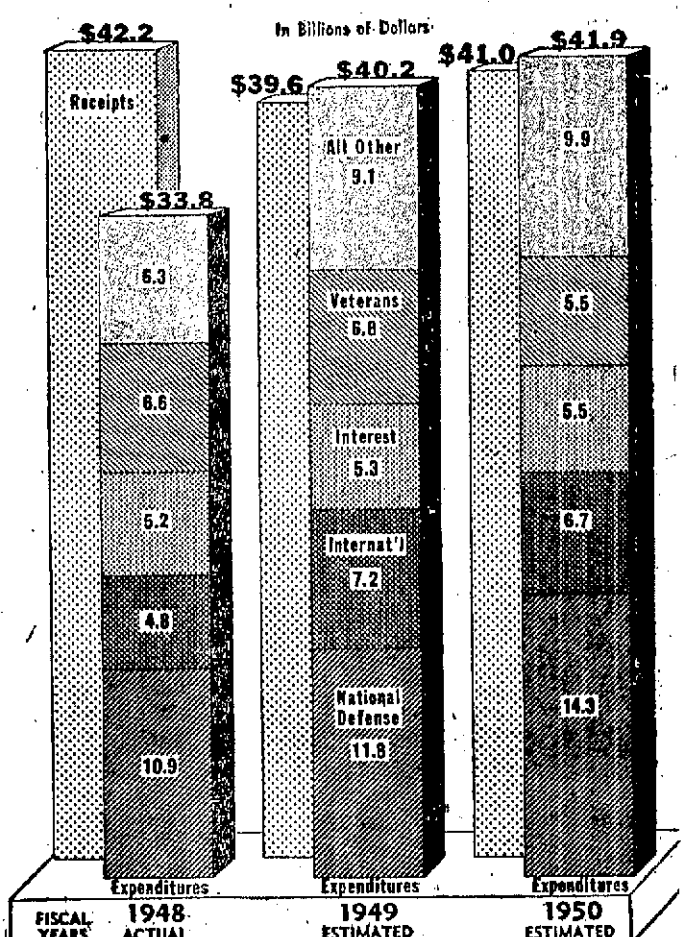
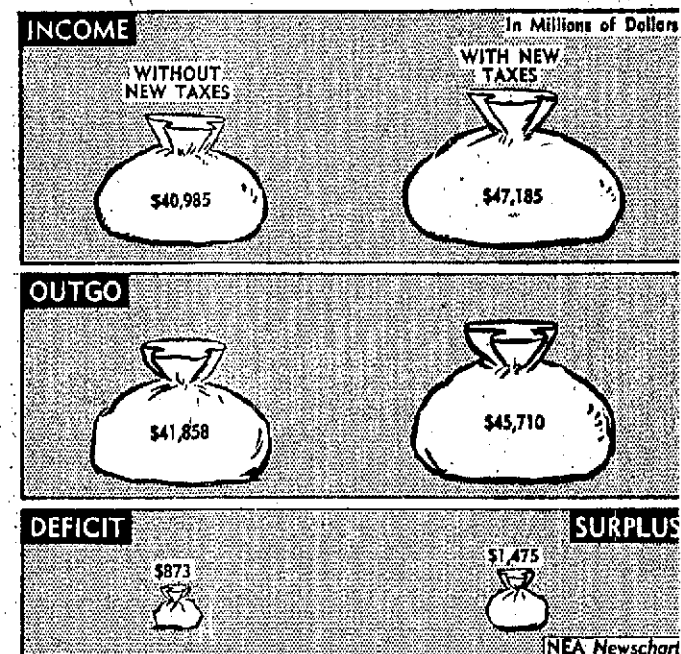


Chart above compares the percentage of the total U. S. budget needed by various departments with those of preceding years. Note that for 1950, national defense will take 14.3 per cent of the total, compared with 11.8 in 1949. On the other hand, expenditures for veterans and international financing will decrease.

Need New Taxes to Prevent Deficit



In addition to the \$4,000,000,000 extra taxes mentioned in President Truman's "State of the Nation" message to Congress, his 1950 budget message calls for \$1,960,000,000 more in the form of larger and new social security payroll deductions. Based on this budget estimate, a surplus results, as shown above. But without the extra taxes the President seeks, there will be a deficit.

EAT WELL for Less

These Are Good Winter Buys

BY GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

Cabbage, squash and turnips are abundant winter vegetables. With the help of good recipes you can turn them into menu treats.

Cabbage Croquettes
(Serves 4-6)

One head winter cabbage; 3 slices bread; 1 pound fresh ground pork; boiling water; 2 eggs; 1/2 teaspoon black pepper; 1/4 teaspoon powdered nutmeg; 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Wash cabbage, drain, chop or shred. Cook in boiling, salted water until tender. Drain; save the liquid. Soak the bread in this cooking water. Drain, mix the softened bread with the cabbage, pork and beaten eggs; add seasonings. Shape in croquettes or in patties and place in a greased baking dish. Bake in a moderate oven (325 degrees F.) 1 1/2 hours, with cover loosely adjusted; then uncover the dish and let the croquettes or patties brown. If the dish is too dry, add a little of the cooking liquid from the cabbage to the bottom of the dish. Delicious plain or with gravy from roast.

Baked Stuffed Turnips

Six medium turnips; boiling water; 2 small onions; 1 tablespoon minced parsley; 1/2 teaspoon

celery salt; 2 or 3 tablespoons bread crumbs; 2 tablespoons butter or fortified margarine; 1/4 teaspoon pepper; 1/4 teaspoon paprika; 2 tablespoons grated sharp cheese.

Wash turnips, pare; cook in boiling salted water until tender; drain; save some of the cooking liquid. Cut a round well in the center of each turnip but do not cut through the bottom. Chop the part which has been cut out; mix with chopped onions, parsley and celery salt. Mix the crumbs, butter or margarine, pepper and paprika and mix with the chopped turnip and onion. Pile this back into the turnips and spread any remaining around the top of each. Set the turnips in a greased baking pan; add a tablespoon of the cooking liquid to the bottom of the pan. Sprinkle the tops with the cheese. Bake in a moderate oven (325 degrees F.) 25 to 35 minutes, or until browned and bubbly.

TOMORROW'S MENU

Breakfast: Grapefruit, cooked cereal, corn bread or corn muffins, butter or fortified margarine, apple jelly, coffee, milk.

Luncheon: Casserole of dried lima beans with tomatoes, green peppers and onions, split and toasted cornbread or corn muffins, canned plums, tea, milk.

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Gannett Official Cites Costs Facing Paper Publishers

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—The comptroller of the Gannett newspapers says any decrease in newspaper revenue will not be offset by a compensating decline in operating expenses.

Cyril Williams made the statement yesterday at the concluding session of the New York State Publishers Association's two-day annual convention.

As chairman of a panel discussion on "rising costs of newspaper publishing," he said newspaper publishers, facing "inflexible" operating expenses, must increase their revenue as best they can.

Williams estimated that wages and the cost of newsprint represented about 70 per cent of a newspaper's expenses.

As a means of increasing revenue, Frank Tripp, general manager of the Gannett newspapers, said newspapers might level off their advertising and publish the same number of pages daily. However, he suggested restraint on such a program, adding that newspapers must place service to the community above other considerations.

William Kemble, advertising manager of the Lockport Union-Sun and Journal, reported as

"rather successful" an experiment by his newspaper in raising its advertising rate for Wednesday, Thursday and Friday to spread the load.

The convention was told by George N. Dale of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association that about 40 strikes were called against newspapers last year but only one or two newspapers had to halt operations. He said that in 1945 suspension of publication resulted in almost every case where a strike was called.

Dale, chairman of a special A.N.P.A. standing committee, maintained that newspapers owed it to their communities to continue publishing despite labor troubles.

Dr. Lucien Stark, North Platte, Neb.—Dr. Lucien Stark, 66, heart specialist and former president of the American Association of Surgeons.

Ralph (Jasbo) Fulkerson, Fort Worth—Ralph (Jasbo) Fulkerson, 44, rodeo clown nationally known for his skill in baiting Brahma bulls away from fallen riders.

Deaths Last Night

(By The Associated Press)

Nelson Doubleday

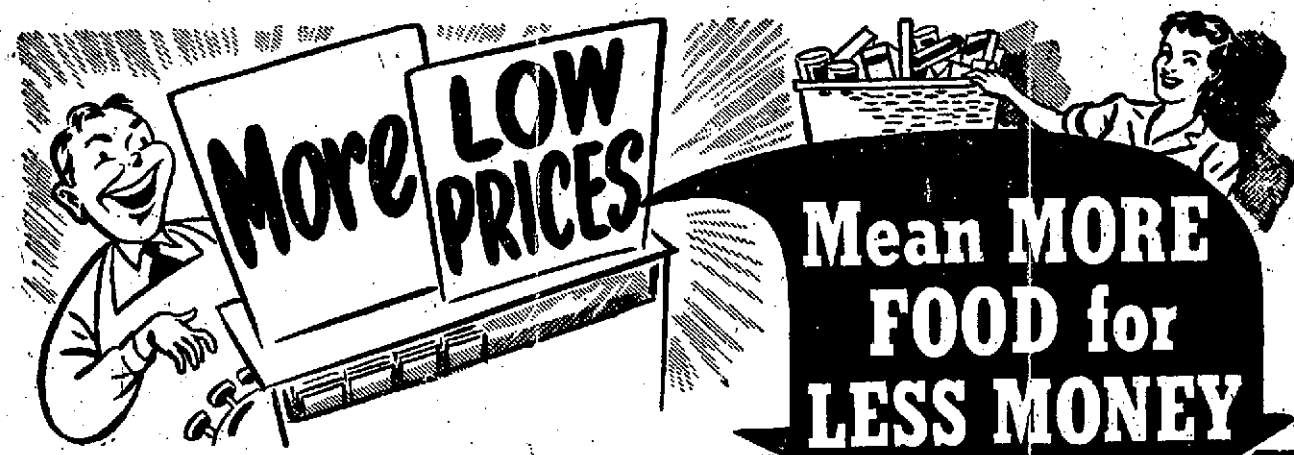
Oyster Bay, N. Y.—Nelson Doubleday, 59, chairman of the board of Doubleday & Co., Inc., publishers.

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

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EDNA KHEDERIAN
Mr. and Mrs. Paul C. Khederian of 46 Farrelly street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Edna Khederian, to Richard Morgan Korth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Korth, 79 Westham street. No date has been set for the wedding.

Society Hears of Model Railroad and Sees Movies
Seventeen members of New York Gamma Chi, Chapter 2392, Beta Sigma Phi, enjoyed movies presented through the courtesy of the Kingston Model Railroad Club during the regular bi-monthly meeting Tuesday night at the Y.W.C.A. on Clinton avenue.

After an introduction by Mrs. Palmer Brodhead, chairman of the entertainment program for the evening, Henry P. Eighmey, secretary-treasurer of the local railroad organization, presented an interesting introductory talk on the widespread growth of model railroads.

This was followed by the movies under the supervision of Henry Puge, president of the Kingston Model Railroad Club. Also present at the meeting was William Marrett, local artist, who furnished all of the painting needs and landscaping on the railroad project.

Prior to the entertainment portion of the program, the regular business meeting was held with Mrs. Roger Billings, president, in charge.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, January 25, at the Y.W.C.A. at 7:45 p. m.

Lanesville Couple
Wed New Year's Day
Miss Gertrude Benjamin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Benjamin of Lanesville and David C. Neal, son of Mrs. Jennie E. Neal and the late Harry V. Neal of Lanesville, were united in marriage New Year's Day by the Rev. F. W. Stine of the Port Ewen Methodist Church. The double ring ceremony was performed in the parsonage of the church.

Dr. Dawson Describes Her Work in Schools For College Club

Coordinating Kingston Schools was the topic discussed by Dr. Mildred Dawson at College Women's Club Tuesday night in the regular meeting at the First Dutch Reformed Church House. Dr. Dawson who came to the local school system last year defined her job as a consultant, or assistant superintendent of schools or coordinator of elementary education.

In speaking of her work Dr. Dawson said that 78 per cent of the schools in New York state have supervision and her work is to coordinate the curriculum between the different schools. This would bring about better articulation so there would be less of a gap between the 7th grade and the first year in Myron J. Michael School.

During her first year the speaker said she mainly worked in getting acquainted with the teachers whom she reported as being much above the average.

Also since she has been here a survey of the retarded learners in the city's schools has shown that a large portion of the pupils who are not doing good work have mothers working in factories. In this manner she showed the relation of social conditions to retarded learning.

Describing the functions of the job she mentioned four major considerations, to build morale among the teachers; help teachers have more joy in their work; stimulate teacher growth; and try to improve pupil achievement.

During the business meeting of the club, three new members were welcomed, Mrs. Willard Valcor, a graduate of Keuka College; Mrs. Herman Roosa, Albany State; Miss Marcia Stone, Ohio State.

Hostesses were Mrs. G. Herbert DeKay, chairman, the Misses Dorothy Brooks, Hazel Hietcalf, Katherine Mizel, Gladys Nickerson, L. May Quimby and the Meses Alfred J. Bruckert, James J. Murphy, and William F. Murray.

Bride at Ulster Park



MRS. DONALD M. HERRING
Miss Doris Eleanor Kelly of Halcott Center and this city became the bride of Donald M. Herring of Ulster Park Saturday at the Ulster Park Reformed Church. (Pennington Studio Photo)

School 5 Mothers
Mothers' Club of School No. 5 will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. Miss Dorothy Groves and Miss Lulu Roberts have planned a musical program which will precede the meeting. Members are asked to remember the donations to the Foodless Food Sale.



Miss Tannenbaum Is Bride-Elect of Jerome Weingarten
Mrs. Jacob Tannenbaum of High Falls announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Dorothy Tannenbaum to Jerome Weingarten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Weingarten of Lucas avenue extension. The wedding will take place in the immediate future.

Miss Tannenbaum was graduated from Kingston High School and took a course in dramatics at the University of California, Los Angeles. She also toured the States with a theatre group.

Mr. Weingarten is an alumnus of Kingston High School and at present is assistant manager of Singer Sewing Center, Fair street.

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Personal Notes
Donald Dumm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Dumm, 4 Mountain View avenue, has been accepted at Emerson College, Boston, where he will major in public speaking beginning in the February term.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Martin of 295 Albany avenue left Sunday for a trip to Florida, California and Mexico. Mr. Martin is associated with Martin-Moran, Inc., automobile dealers.

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Club Notices

Cordis Hose Auxiliary
Ladies' Auxiliary of John N. Cordis Hose No. 8 will hold its first meeting of the year at the engine house on Delaware avenue Thursday at 8 p. m. Every member is urged to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Catholic Daughters
The regular monthly business meeting of the Catholic Daughters of America, Court Santa Maria 164, will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Columbus Hall.

First Dutch Women
Women's Guild of the First Dutch Reformed Church will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in Bethany Hall. This meeting was postponed from Wednesday, January 5, because of the bad weather conditions. This will be an important meeting and all women of the congregation are urged to attend.

Fair Street Service Club
The regular January meeting of the Fair Street Reformed Church Service Club has been canceled. The next meeting will be February 11 at the home for the aged.

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Sunday Afternoon

Miss Dolores Anna Duffy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duffy, 60 Second avenue, became the bride of Harold L. Lemister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Lemister, 35 Lindsley avenue, Sunday at 3 p. m. in the Immaculate Conception Church. The Rev. Joseph Sieczek officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Theresa Gohringer was organist. Miss Winifred Entrott sang Ave Maria. The church was decorated with red poinsettias.

Mr. Duffy escorted his daughter. Her gown of ivory satin was made with a sheer marquisette yoke in off-shoulder effect; long pointed sleeves, fitted bodice embellished with a beaded front; full skirt ending in a circular train. Her veil was edged with scallops and attached to an orange blossom headpiece. She carried a cascade of orchids and white roses.

Miss Margaret Camp was maid of honor for her cousin. She wore a gold velvet gown with headpiece of orchid plume and carried orchid carnations.

Joseph J. Perry, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Francis Duffy, brother of the bride, and George Gouss, cousin of the bridegroom.

A reception for 175 people was held at the White Eagle Hall. Afterward the bridal couple left for a wedding trip by automobile to Canada. For traveling she wore a brown suit with matching accessories, green coat and orchid corsage. They will reside in Kingston.

Mrs. Lemister attended Immaculate Conception School, Kingston High School and is employed at New York Telephone Company.

Mr. Lemister attended School No. 4, Kingston High School and is employed as a clerk at The Cottage. He served as staff sergeant for two years in Europe.

Century Club Discusses

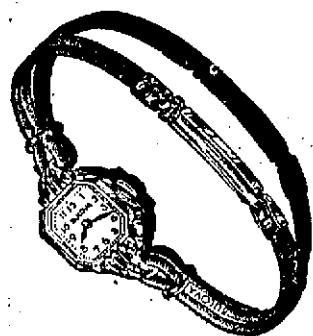
American Responsibilities

Twentieth Century Club met with Miss Mary Ingalls, Broadway, Monday afternoon. At the conclusion of the business program, Miss Alice Seardfield presented her paper, "The United States of America."

She spoke of the increase in area and population of the United States since the war and of the responsibility to the people of the lands for which America fought. Using Spain and Greece as examples, she discussed their attitudes in wartime and of the importance of these countries to Russia because of their strategic positions on the Mediterranean. The effect of the European Recovery Program on the economy of both of these countries and that of Latin America was presented and fully explained by Miss Seardfield.

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The marriage of Miss Veronica Theresa Schnall, daughter of Mrs. Mary Schnall of Lake Katine, and the late Arthur J. Schnall, to George T. McKeon, 496 Albany avenue, was performed Saturday at 2 p. m. in St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church. The Rev. John D. Simmons officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Frank Rafferty was organist. Miss Marguerite Flaherty as soloist sang Schubert's Ave Maria and Mother at Your Feet Is Kneeling.

The bride wore a white satin bridal gown with veil of illusion net caught to a headpiece of satin and flowers. She carried a nosegay of gardenias.

Miss Albina Donahue of Woodhaven, L. I., as maid of honor, wore a green velvet gown with matching picture hat and carried a nosegay of yellow roses.

Robert Langling was best man.

Following the ceremony a reception for about 75 guests was held at the Rose Marie. Upon their return from a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. McKeon will make their home at 54 Clinton avenue.

Mrs. McKeon, a graduate of St. Thomas's School and Dominican Commercial School on Long Island, is employed at Hercules Powder Co.

Mr. McKeon is a fireman of the Kingston Fire Department. During the war he served in the Army Air Corps.

Descendant of Annie Laurie

Is Bride at Maxwellton's Braces
Dumfries, Scotland, Jan. 11 (AP)—Annie Laurie's great great grandniece fulfilled her promise today in a private chapel on Maxwellton braces.

The old love song came to pass, nearly two centuries after it was written, in the marriage of Rosemary Anne Laurie to a youthful retired navy officer, Commander Robin H. R. Moodie.

The bride, 25 years old, has the same "dark blue eyes" of her ancestor whose romance inspired the song.

The original Annie Laurie gave her promise to William Douglas, who wrote the melody. But William was killed and Annie married another.

Snow fell on the braces during the wedding ceremony, conducted by the Rev. Canon MacIntyre of St. John's Episcopal Church, Dumfries.

The private chapel was built since the original Annie Laurie wed her second choice, but Maxwellton House is just the same as when William Douglas came a-courting.

The bride wore white satin with a veil supported from a halo of orange blossoms. The organist, Maj. E. A. Murray, played variations of "Annie Laurie" during the service.

After the ceremony the bride's parents, Maj. Gen. Sir John and Lady Laurie, received 200 guests. The young couple left in their car on a honeymoon trip.

Villagers of Maxwellton and the servants on Sir John's estate showered them with flower petals.

Y.W.C.A. News

Women's Club
The Women's Club will meet at the Y.W.C.A. Thursday at 2:30 p. m. when it will observe its 20th anniversary.

Y-Deal Club
The Y-Deal Club held its weekly meeting at the Y.W.C.A. Tuesday evening. During the evening the girls made popcorn balls and had an old-fashioned taffy pull.

Plans for the month of February were made. The club will meet again Tuesday, January 18, at the Y.W.C.A. at 7 p. m. An evening of parlor games is scheduled.

Kingston Hospital

Mid-Winter Dance

Date Announced

The annual mid-winter dance sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Kingston Hospital will be held Saturday night, February 5, at the Governor Clinton Hotel. Complete committees will be announced soon.

Royona Benson

Engaged to Wed

New Paltz, Jan. 12—Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Benson announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Royona Benson, to James F. Gresh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fenhard Gresh, 27 North Bridge

Fellowship Guild
Has Annual Banquet

The annual banquet of the Fellowship Guild of the First Presbyterian Church was held at Judge's Tuesday night. The retiring officers turned the meeting over to the new officers, Mrs. Joseph Frommer, president; Mrs. Burton Schwab, vice president; Mrs. Edward Rice, recording secretary; Mrs. Malcolm E. Parrott, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Bernard Day, treasurer.

At the short business meeting plans were made for the card party to be held Tuesday, January 25, in Ramsey Hall at the church.

Afterward gifts were presented to the retiring officers: Mrs. William Kuehn, president; Mrs. Casper Souers, vice president; Mrs. Robert Lane, secretary; and also for Mrs. Fred Stang, who was unable to attend. Mrs. John R. Henry and Mrs. Day had charge of the gifts and Mrs. Henry made the presentations.

The remainder of the evening was spent in enjoying piano music and singing.

Arrangements for the dinner were made by Mrs. Walter Caunitz and Mrs. Kenneth Lantry. Others attending were the Mes. Chester Miller, Gladys Owens, Charles Burger, Chester Baltz, Jr., Hollis Burhans, Horace Oakes, Howard Hornbeck, Auley Roosa, Hubert Brink, Frantz Monn, Doris Fickus, John Anderson, Ralph Shultz, Russell Fallon, Robert McAndrew, Harford Shultz, and the Mes. Catherine Gallagher, and Dorothy Schlerke.

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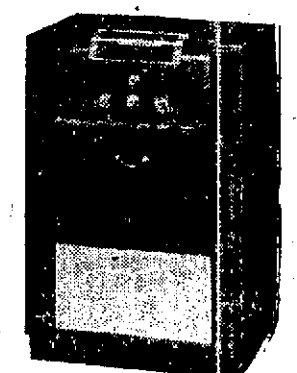
JAYNE SHERIDAN

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Sheridan of North Tarrytown have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jayne Sheridan of this city, to Frank William Barnes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes of 45 Gage street. The engagement was made known New Year's Eve.

Miss Sheridan has resided with her aunt, Miss Minnie E. Schoonmaker of 100 Hoffman street, for 16 years. She is a graduate of Kingston High School and attended New Paltz State Teachers College.

Mr. Barnes served in the navy during the war. He is employed by F. B. Matthews & Co. (Lipgar Photo)

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Plankenhorn of Middlefield, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Francis Plankenhorn,

to Joseph Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Abram L. Lowe of 55 Hunter street. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Plankenhorn is at present living with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Z. Shuts of 11 Pondhook street.

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Kingston High Battles Port Jervis In Crucial DUSO Game Here Friday

Tri-Staters Regarded As Dangerous Foe

DUSO Standing	W	L	Pct.
Kingston	3	0	1.000
Newburgh	2	1	.667
Monticello	2	1	.667
Port Jervis	2	1	.667
Middleton	2	1	.667
Fallsburg	0	2	.000
Liberty	0	2	.000

Minus the services of Joe Albany for the first time since their historic 40-game winning streak started in 1937 against Fallsburg, Kingston High battles a DUSO contender Friday night at the municipal auditorium.

Early season billing placed Port Jervis High on the list of probable DUSO contenders and they will invade the Maroon lair with a 2-1 conference record.

The Tri-Staters were upset by Newburgh Free Academy last week, after leading more than three quarters of the game.

Although once-beaten, Port remains a dangerous opponent in Coach Kias' book, and nobody can predict just how much Albany's loss will hurt the Maroon. Mike Riezo, ousted from a varsity forward berth by the sensational shooting of "Champ" Holstein, will start in Albany's regular guard spot.

Tri-Staters Slump

Port Jervis was off to a great start this season, but tailed off in recent appearances against Goshen, Oliveville and Newburgh.

The Red and Black lost Jack Conroy, Dale Drisko and Chuck Salmon from last year's varsity, but have five veterans in Al Smith, a bulky center; Bob Furman, Don Marando and Ray Nicolette, of football fame; and Tom Hoppey.

Jay Bauer, 6 foot 5 inch center on last year's Jayvee championship team, is the outstanding newcomer. Others are Ed Polanis, the forward passing wizard in football; Phil Chase and Dave Horvath.

The Jayvee squads meet in the preliminary.

College Basketball

(By The Associated Press)

Last night's scores:

East
St. Louis 58, L.I.U. 47
Holy Cross 59, Chicago Loyola 58

Midwest
Rochester 72, Hamilton 56
CCNY 64, West Virginia 50
Hobart 59, Clarkson 53
Trinity 61, Amherst 47
Princeton 51, Harvard 46
Siena 44, Champlain 25
LaSalle 85, Baltimore Loyola 61

South
DoPaul 59, Notre Dame 38
Kentucky 63, Bowling Green (Ohio) 61
Marquette 61, St. Thomas (Minn.) 52
Oberlin 54, Case 44
Kanas 42, Missouri 35
Butler 55, Miami (Ohio) 38
Hamline 55, MacAlester 40

Virginia 63, Virginia Military 46
Auburn 41, Georgia Tech 33

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• Bagatelles:

We're happy to roll out the welcome mat for Dick McCarthy, just in from Sun Valley, Idaho, where he studied advanced skiing technique under the world famous Otto Schnapps. . . . The landscape from here to Sun Valley is literally strewn with places where Dick, the exacting gourmet, ate. . . . Grateful acknowledgment is made of the receipt of six, shiny new golf balls from Father Henry E. Herdegen, the prominent Golfing Padre. . . . He uses better discretion in the choice of golf irons than in selecting Sugar Bowl winners.

• Flotsam and Jetsam:

Hard to believe item in the most recent Ithaca College publicity blurb reveals that a Bob Jahelka of Jamaica, L. I., has beaten out Buddy Smith of Kingston for starting position at guard. . . . Be it ever so humble, there's nothing like a fumble to stir Rose Bowl controversies. . . . Charlotte Lapine has submitted one of the most original bowling score sheets within our memory. . . . Not that it's an all, but in the 1137 Sweepstakes in Poughkeepsie, the Suffolk and Suffolk girls totaled only 230, because they had ONLY 93 splits and ONLY 16 strikes. . . . Only God knows how many misses! The statistical breakdown—Splits: Lapine 9, Markle 6, Murphy 5, Moss 4, Barley 9. . . . Strikes—Lapine 1 (how did that happen?), Markle 7, Murphy 3, Moss 3, Barley 2.

NOVELETTE: The left end shook hands with the opposing right end. "That's the first time I've been able to do that all year," he said. "Do what? The other guy asked. "Make ends meet."

• Of Men and Mice:

Chick Reiser, who was starting to feel his oats when Kate Smith's Celtics vacationed here with Barney Selman, is still a valuable member of the Baltimore Bullets, just killers of the eastern division of the B.A.A. . . . Dunked in 23 points against the New York Knicks last week. . . . The Colts and Knicks converted 59 foul shots in one game. . . . Walter Ward, famous Cleveland bowler, has averaged 207.76 for more than 10,000 games in leagues, tournaments and exhibitions since he started keeping records in 1929. . . . Mont Pleasant of Seneca County has an open date for Saturday, Oct. 29. . . . Lou Horsman of Port Jervis has retired from football officiating.

"BO" GILL NIFFY: "We think N.E.A. can topple Kingston High January 18. . . . If the boys stop and listen to Coach George 'Lanky' Masterson. . . . His half-time sermon pulled them out of a tailspin last night against Port Jervis. . . . Too bad Masterson can't throw in a basket or two from the sidelines.

• Jake Chichelsky's Corner:

My girls! How about organizing a match squad and taking on good outside competition? . . . We think the two Mixed League winners should bowl a series to determine the city championship. . . . Don't miss the titanic match between Town Cafe and Progress Clothes a week from tomorrow night at the Central Recs. . . . On to Carolyn Williams of the Central Mixed League, converted the difficult 6-7-10 split and you should have seen the smile that wide on Joe Enright's face. . . . Attention, secretaries: Please take a gender at the Central Mixed shoot, compiled by Prof. (for proficient) Irwin Thomas and see what a comprehensive job that man does every week. . . . Everybody in the City Minor League disappointed when Claude Heron resigned as president to take over the roller rink at the Central Rec, but everybody wishes him the best. . . . Isn't it about time the Booster League pensioned Lou Kanowitz? . . . Who is the Masked Marvel on Kukum's Tavern in the same circuit?

Cadet Corporal Hubert Brink, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Brink of Lake Katina, has resuming studies at Penn Military College, after spending the holidays with his parents. Cadet Brink, one of the most popular cadets in the soph class, is one of the finest wrestlers in the history of the college.

MAYOR OF CAT HOLLER SAYS: Never before have so many black headlines been used in Florida newspapers to describe California weather.

Wiltwyck Motors Trip Chez Emile, 50-46 on Barrage of Foul Shots

Wiltwyck Motors took advantage of Chez Emile's excessive fouling and converted 20 times from the charity stripe to win last night's Y League feature, 50-46, at the Y court.

In the companion piece, Ray's Riversiders crushed the Comets, 64-24.

The Cheezies outscored the Motormen, 20-15, from the field but those 20 conversions represented the difference between the clubs. Most of the infractions came in the last half, after Wiltwycks had built up a 22-18 half-time margin.

Scoring was distributed with

Red Murray and Bob Hunt each sinking 11 for the winners.

"Pappy" Sickler had 10 and Parslow 9. McGrane's 10 markers topped the losers.

Ray's Run Wild

Eric Goercke and "Specs" Ebelheiser furnished the one-two punch for Ray's as they ran roughshod over the hapless Comets who trailed, 8-24, at the break.

Goercke accounted for 19 tallies with nine buckets and a foul, while Ebelheiser hit nine times from scrimmage. Van Wagenen assisted with 13 and Faurote had 9. Riggins' 11 were high for the Comets.

The boxscores:

Wiltwyck Motors (50)

Parslow, f. 2 5 9

Hunt, f. 4 3 11

G. Glaser, f. 1 2 4

Lindhurst, c. 2 1 5

Sickler, g. 3 4 10

Murray, g. 3 5 11

Totals 15 20 50

Chez Emile (46)

McGrane, f. 5 0 10

C. Malmes, f. 4 0 8

Jordan, f. 1 0 0

Rafferty, c. 0 0 0

Bloom, c. 3 0 6

Ross, g. 3 1 7

Crosby, g. 3 1 7

W. Glaser, g. 1 0 2

Totals 20 6 46

Score at end of first half 22-18, Wiltwycks leading. Referees: Van Alken and Osterhoudt. Timekeeper: Lou Schafer.

Ray's Riversiders (64)

Ebelheiser, f. 9 0 18

Goercke, f. 9 1 19

Van Wagenen, c. 6 1 13

Koepfen, g. 2 0 4

Faurote, g. 4 1 9

Streeter, g. 0 1 1

Totals 30 4 64

Comets (24)

Riggins, f. 4 3 11

Huber, f. 1 0 2

Petruski, f. 1 0 2

Gilpatrick, c. 4 0 8

Moholdt, c. 0 0 0

Hoffman, g. 0 1 1

Maxon, g. 0 0 0

Totals 10 4 24

Score at end of first half 24-8, Ray's leading. Referees: Van Alken and Osterhoudt. Timekeeper: Lou Schafer.

Red Auerbach, coach of the Washington Capitols of the Basketball Association of America, was a member of the 1939-40 George Washington U. cage squad,

Ace Due Here Friday



Joe Wilman, former national match game bowling champion and twice A.B.C. all-events champion, will headline the formal opening of Johnny Ferraro's Bowldrome Friday night. Wilman, who is rated one of bowling's all-time greats, will roll a series of games against Kingston's best keepers. A group of Broadway acts and the appearance of bowling notables round out the program which is scheduled to get under way at 9 p. m.

Catskill Varsity Defeats Woodstock

Woodstock, Jan. 11.—The Varsity of the Catskill Boys' Club "taught us how to play basketball," said Coach Walter S. Van Wagenen, whose team suffered the first major defeat of the season Thursday night in Catskill by a score of 59-23.

Undaunted, however, the Woodstockers will meet the boys from Catskill for a return game in Woodstock tonight at the Town Hall. The Jayvees fared better and turned in a score to defeat the Catskill Jayvees 41-30.

The boxscores:

Catskill Boys Club (9)

Southerland, f. 1 1 3

Ventura, f. 1 0 2

Mekatitch, f. 0 0 0

Benton, f. 1 3 5

R. Hitchcock, c. 8 1 17

Wolfe, c. 6 0 12

W. Hitchcock, g. 2 2 6

Lice, g. 6 2 14

Totals 25 9 59

Woodstock Varsity (23)

Wilson, f. 1 0 4

West, f. 1 1 3

Harder, c. 2 0 4

Snyder, c. 0 0 0

Holdridge, g. 1 0 2

Kinderman, g. 0 1 1

Stovell, g. 1 0 2

Klein, g. 2 1 5

B. Neher, g. 0 0 0

A. Neher, g. 1 0 2

Totals 10 3 23

Woodstock Jayvees (11)

Waterbury, f. 3 1 7

 P. Van Wagenen, f. 4 1 9 || Cooper, f. 0 0 0 |
| Brinkman, c. 4 2 10 |
| Blazy, g. 4 1 9 |
| C. Van Wagenen, g. 3 0 6 |
| Bell, g. 0 0 0 |
| Peters, g. 0 0 0 |
| Totals 18 5 41 |

Score for the Kingston Salvation Army-Woodstock games follow:

Winter Sports

Take Bad Beating

Boston, Jan. 12 (AP)—Winter sports, a multi-million dollar business in New England, is taking more than a \$4,000,000 licking as of today. The reason: No snow.

While snow piles up in California and Mizzards rake the northwest, the 1,500 miles of ski trails that furrow down northern hillsides are as bare as Mother Hubbard's you-know-what.

Hundreds of carefully groomed slopes, 500 ski lifts of every type from a simple rope to an over-the-tree-top tramway are waiting idle for the one essential ingredient for ski fun—snow.

The upper reaches of M. Mansfield and Pinkham Notch alone sport a white cloak.

About 700 cozy hostleries—their larders bulging—wait patiently for the snowman's arrival. All ski tournaments have been postponed.

The nearest thing to a winter carnival was a "no snow" ball held the other night in the Eastern Slopes Inn at North Conway, N. H.

The University of Massachusetts, which plans a winter carnival Feb. 5-12, is doing something about the lack of the white stuff. A committee of 60 students has been named to make carnival plans. Their first instructions were:

"Pray for snow."

The water strider insect can walk on water, but not on land.

Saratoga Boosts Harness Stakes

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Jan. 12 (AP)—Saratoga Raceway announced today a schedule of 70 early closing events for its summer harness racing meeting, carrying a record purse total of \$190,600.

The same events last year provided \$177,900 purse money. Increases were made for 14 events. Twenty of the big races are slated during the two weeks of Grand Circuit events, July 11-23. A total of \$100,000 will be paid out in early closing events during the Grand Circuit period.

The Spa course continued its

four established \$10,000 races, increased its \$5,000 events from four to eight and raised the value of 10 amateur events to \$2,000 each.

The \$10,000 events are the

Postwick two-year-old trot, the

Saratoga three-year-old trot, the

Argen open class trot and the

Empire open class pace.

Mickey Russo, Highland, Touted Outstanding Amateur Prospect

Fans who have cheered for Canadian boxers here in the past will have to root for other leather slingers from across the border Thursday night at the municipal auditorium.

The Beaver Boxing Club of Ottawa that furnished Ronnie Lacle and a collection of action scrappers for the pleasure of local ringworms will have four men on the program sponsored by B'nai B'rith Club.

Action fighters from the Adirondack District, A. A. U., are matched with the youngsters coached by Mel Swarman, meaning that there should be a lot of hard punching displayed by the fast-maneuvering amateurs.

Russo On Card

One Ulster county boy is billed in a five-rounder, Mickey Russo, Highland, who won his last bout here on a technical kayo and scored a knockout in Newburgh when he boxed there.

The four five-rounders on tomorrow's night's card are:

Al Metson, Ontario vs. Jim Hardy, Canaan, N. Y., 160-pounders.

Jesse Huot, Ottawa vs. Sid Barneson, Canaan, 145-pounders.

Chief Davidson, full-blooded Canadian Indian from Ottawa, vs. Mickey Russo, Highland, lightweight.

Joe Sandulo, Ottawa vs. Harry Smith, Canaan, bantamweights.

Good Card Predicted

Discussing the matches, Ben M. Becker of Albany, who arranged them was of the opinion that there should be plenty of good stiff punching on display. He predicted that the Barneson-Huot match is likely to turn out to be one of the best action scraps ever seen at the auditorium, between two hard punchers.

Followers of Mickey Russo are expected to flock from Highland, his home town, and Poughkeepsie, where he is popular. He hopes to please them with a knockout victory.

Three preliminaries of three rounds each are scheduled, the

opening one being slated for 9 o'clock.

In one of the openers, Fred "Butch" Albright is matched with Fern Duguay of Canada, one of the novices in the Mel Swarman stable.

Tom Longboat Dies; Indian Marathon Ace

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 12 (AP)—Tom Longboat, the lanky Onondaga Indian, was buried yesterday not far from the reservation where he began his career as a fabulous distance runner. He was laid to rest to the tribal chant of Iroquois funeral rites.

The end came Sunday after a long illness to the 62-year-old

Marathon star whose powerfully-muscled legs brought him fame and fortune.

He was called the "greatest distance runner of them all" in the

hey-day of his career 40 years ago. He left behind many rich legends. He won the Boston Marathon in 1907, ran in the Olympics in 1908.

He earned more than \$17,000 as a professional and drew turn-away crowds to such arenas as New York's Madison Square Garden.

Pro Basketball

(By The Associated Press)

Last Night's Results

Association of America

Rochester 83, Philadelphia 71

Indianapolis 80, Providence 67.

American League

Wilkes-Barre, 107 Atlantic City 95.

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MORRIS HYMES NORTH FRONT

Macholdt Succeeds Newkirk as Prexy Of Katrine Club

Harold Macholdt was elected president of the Lake Katrine Rod and Gun Club, succeeding Mayor Oscar V. Newkirk, at the annual dinner and elections of the club last night at Jake's Grill.

Other officers elected were Ben Krum, vice-president; Nick LaLima, secretary; Joe Duncan, treasurer and Frank Kornbeck, field captain.

New directors are Savio T. LaGuardia, Mayor Newkirk and Ray Lang.

Reports by the retiring secretary and treasurer, Les Hotelling and Elliott Clark, respectively, reflected another highly successful season for the organization.

Good Hunting Season

Secretary Hotelling reported

that club members shot down 79 per cent of the cock and female pheasants released on the hunting preserves during the past season, for an overall increase of approximately 20 per cent over 1947. The club released 262 birds and 206 were bagged by the members.

After considerable debate the club dues for next season were set at \$5.50, a \$2 increase over last year's rate.

Charles J. Tiano, Freeman sports editor, was guest speaker and devoted his talk to some of the outstanding and hair-raising hunting exploits encountered by some members of the club in the last season. Also at the speaker's table was Philip Gillen, assistant state game protector.

The meeting concluded with the showing of motion pictures covering the complete history of the organization of the club. Elliott Clark compiled the pictorial record.

Arthur (Otis) Zahn, head basketball coach at George Washington University, was a top star as a player at the school from 1930 to 1933.

St. Louis, Akron and Hamline Win; Bowling Green Scores Kentucky, 61-63

De Paul Surprises Notre Dame, 59-38

New York, Jan. 12 (AP)—St. Louis, Akron, and Hamline, three of the country's few remaining unbeaten college basketball teams, extended their streaks last night, but once again it was DePaul that surprised.

DePaul, beaten four times, followed up its surprise victory last week over the Oklahoma Aggies by trouncing Notre Dame on the Irish home court at South Bend, 59 to 38. It was the worst defeat Notre Dame has suffered this season. DePaul now has won five straight.

St. Louis, sparked as usual by All-American "Easy Ed" Macauley, whipped Long Island, 58-47, before 18,486, the largest turnout of the season at Madison Square Garden. It was a return to the court where the Billikens last March won the National Invitation tournament.

In the other half of the twin bill, C.C.N.Y. delighted its coach, Nat Holman, by trouncing West Virginia, 64-50. Holman was honored at a ceremony commemorating his 39 years as a coach.

Kentucky Seared

Akron whipped Penn., 83-49, in one half of a Cleveland double-header that also saw once-beaten Kentucky, N.C.A.A. champs, eke out a 63-61 victory over Bowling Green, of Ohio. The largest turnout ever to see a Cleveland twin bill 13,113, saw the two games at the arena.

Hamline also won its 10th in a row by licking Macalester, 55-40.

A crowd of 10,787 in Boston saw Holy Cross nip Chicago Loyola, 59-58, on Bob Cousy's basket in the last nine seconds and Princeton beat Harvard, 51-46, in an Ivy League contest.

In other games Kansas beat Missouri, 42-35, in a Big Seven fray; once-beaten LaSalle swamp-

Predict No Change In Free Sub Rule

Palm Springs, Calif., Jan. 12 (AP)—The National Collegiate Football rules committee probably will not alter the free substitution rule, which permits almost unlimited substitutions during a game.

This was indicated today by unofficial comment as the committee's deliberations behind locked doors. The annual new year's meeting was held in a room under way as snow and other unusual southern California weather delayed the arrival of committee members.

Venerable Amos Alonzo Stagg, sole life member of the rules committee, said he doesn't know what will be done about the substitution problem. However, he added:

"The ones who are against free substitutions are in the minority and it takes a majority vote to get anywhere."

Word emanating from the committee room had it that several versions of the free sub rule have been discussed. Players and coaches, in particular, seem to favor the two-platoon system. But many fans oppose it.

Official announcement of the committee's actions, including any rewording of the rules, will not be made until the sessions end, possibly tomorrow.

Jimmy Rollier, 165-pound boxing champion at Syracuse University, is favored to defend his title successfully this season.

Baltimore Loyola, 85-61; Virginia Tech upset Duke, 56-46, in the Southern Conference; Auburn surprised Georgia Tech in the Southeastern 41-33; and Baylor took the lead in the Southwest Conference by beating Southern Methodist, 44-37.

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Bowling

City League legions launched a 14-week schedule Monday night at the Bowlodrome. Eight teams of assorted talents battled their brains out against mineralistic and Larry Weishaupt's 594 stood up as the best performance of the night.

Colonials and Tommie's Tavern each scored three wins, while Jack's Restaurant knocked off best team totals of 1031 and 2761. Weishaupt spliced games of 221-191-594 for his league-leading effort. Runnerup was Jack Martin with 200-573, while Earl "Red" Sleight crashed the third spot with 207-569.

Tommy Amato ejected 222-566; Dick Howard 200-209-563; Harold Broskie 205-562; Al Kieffer 226-559; Larry Petersen Jr. 211-556; George Flemings 223; "Pope" Myers 236; "Pop" Petersen 220; Jim Secreto 232.

TIANO'S "FIVE OLD MEN" LIKE OLD GRAY MARE

According to scores located in an abandoned quarry hole, Town Cafe proved that the "Five Old Men" are just like the old gray mare—they ain't what they used to be, not for a night at least.

A resounding 1031 opener sparked by Larry Weishaupt's 259 gave the Cafemen a lopsided working margin and they proceeded to run up a 218-pin victory. They shot 2877 to 2659 for the afternoon.

Weishaupt was top man with 651, while Johnny Ferraro anchored the losers with 408. Other highs included Hank Kemmerer's 211; "Tarz" Spada 225; Dick Howard 208-204.

The scores:

Five Old Men	Score
C. Tiano	136 141 189 466
J. Ferraro	226 169 191 586
D. Howard	129 203 204 536
Rice	158 163 181 502
Ferraro	224 212 172 608

833 509 927 2659

Town Cafe (218)

Kemmerer 182 169 211 562

Spada 211 190 187 588

McGinnis 183 190 187 560

Weishaupt 259 109 193 461

Broskie 181 200 169 550

1031 925 921 2677

Kingston legions failed to crash the prize list in the women's division of the annual I.B.M. Polo Sweepstakes in Poughkeepsie over the week-end.

Best score of 2366 turned in by Gardnair Tractors was 24 pins short of 25th place, last place in the money. Best score of 2617 was recorded by the Engineers of I.B.M.

The scores:

Kington Keglerettes failed to crash the prize list in the women's division of the annual I.B.M. Pool Sweepstakes in Poughkeepsie over the week-end.

Best score of 2366 turned in by

Smith Ave. Storage—E. Gross

148-135-134-417; M. Bonacci 160-178-147-483; A. Van Buren 139-119-114-362; E. Francis 113-127-121-366; C. Wilson 114-143-158-425. Handicap 49. Totals 718-749-723-2190.

Safford & Scudder—C. Lapine

113-152-138-403; B. Markle 165-153-146-464; H. Murphy 157-144-142-443; Tess Moss 153-122-151-426; B. Barley 118-164-146-428; Handicap 52. Totals 758-787-775-2320.

Singer's Firestone—E. Dolson

138-131-150-419; B. Bailey 158-150-154-443-447; E. Singer 158-128-120-408; D. Rawding 147-118-153-418; R. Frederick 152-148-120-420. Handicap 57. Totals 802-736-752-2290.

City League

Jack's Rest 1031 972 838 2761

Jonas Dairy 881 936 837 2654

Tommie's Tavern 841 907 918 2656

Cent. Hudson 768 847 840 2455

Jake's Grill 820 737 811 2368

Colonials 830 924 877 2631

Vining & Smith 844 880 880 2603

S.J.S. 810 923 880 2604

Individual Scores

L. Weishaupt 221 181 182 584

J. Martin 171 169 182 522

E. Sleight 168 176 222 566

T. Amato 168 176 222 566

D. Howard 215 173 184 572

A. Kieffer 162 205 179 546

L. Petersen, Jr. 159 211 186 556

Alano 187 183 184 554

C. Flemings 177 148 223 548

R. Jones 172 180 193 545

H. Kieffer 169 176 184 529

H. Spaulding 197 195 148 540

L. Petersen, Sr. 166 132 220 518

Bowser 194 163 177 534

C. Sampson 179 180 173 532

J. Secreto 232 160 138 530

W. Winslow 183 181 181 545

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Fair Street 2	614	680	614	1908
Trin. Luth.	591	530	610	1740
St. Paul	581	577	565	1723
Comforter 3	527	578	539	1642
First Dutch 2	502	658	540	1800
Port Even	616	562	520	1658
First Dutch 1	598	432	697	1917
Trin. Baptist	633	601	613	1807

Top Individual Scores

Jack Haulenbeck	180	181	211	582
G. Talleur	153	178	187	518
A. Schultz	180	187	147	514
A. Otto	187	211	153	489
H. Ferguson	156	182	144	482
W. Simmons	143	209	128	479
W. Upmup	180	147	145	472
J. Little	149	143	180	472
H. Minard	164	168	125	458
Arnold	169	167	130	463
W. Hilton	136	162	140	438
W. Short	188	127	121	436
W. Wood	144	157	122	423
E. Harvey	141	120	161	421
W. Ferguson	140	142	138	420
K. Post	169	186	169	414

Central Rec League

Smith Ave. Stor.	976	860	882	2718
S.J.S.	810	907	840	2556
Hofbrau	864	840	908	2612
United Pharmacy	886	829	748	2463
Thomson Laundry	882	880	931	2773
Kirby Cleaners	861	837	893	2657

*Boxscore of Chez Emile vs. Homestead was incomplete and not suitable for publication.

Top Individual Scores

Lou Bruhn	224	222	171	617
E. Warren	218	218	180	616
E. Costello	210	108	190	508
J. Costello	165	164	237	566
P. Schille	183	223	165	571
E. Thiel	182	182	81	445
E. Robinson	193	177	170	540
T. Gile, Jr.	165	167	205	537
S. Fassbender	201	174	161	536
S. Wilne	176	167	191	534
Myers	165	203	162	530
Neer	188	166	183	537
Ed. Auchmoody	175	203	149	527
J. Hartman	178	174	170	523
J. Jordan	161	170	170	510
Welch	161	174	160	510
L. Stauble	161	171	184	514
H. Seelbach	161	172	181	514
N. Sande	160	170	170	510
L. Jacobs	189	175	145	509

Ferraro's Classic

Petersen, Bros.	873	840	958	2676
Ten Grand Tavern	807	836	918	2561
Bowlodromes	743	830	835	2408
Hynes Shoes	805	810	832	2447
Greco Brothers	805	836	856	2497
Camel Inn	801	822	869	2492

Individual Scores

Harold Broskie	245	173	297	621
R. Howard	205	173	226	602
E. Sohm	164	203	212	579
J. Schiara	194	212	188	594
E. Schupp	230	168	174	572
R. Post	169	214	178	561
L. La Rocca	200	170	181	550
J. Schiara	194	181	188	561
F. Ferraro	206	168	183	557
G. Robinson	162	169	284	546
J. Secreto	144	211	179	534
L. Petersen, Jr.	150	211	170	531
T. Cicalo	169	170	177	517
P. Rice	174	146	211	531

Booster League

B'nai B'rith	873	722	740	2335
Hofbrau	659	708	826	1985
Greenhill Rest.	622	681	824	1927
Letus Taxi	607	677	665	1948
Moose Lodge	724	733	768	2225
Morgans	704	663	870	2037
Lyles	734	703	724	2161
Mont-Ward	725	734	715	2174

Freeman 695 715 666 2071

Kulcum Tavern 650 665 787 2002

*Boxscore of Chez Emile vs. Amell Tavern match incomplete and not suitable for publication.

Top Individual Scores

Mont-Ward	720	714	720	2
Freeman	695	715	660	2
Kulcum Eavens ..	650	655	757	2

*Boxscore of Chez Emile vs. Art
Tavern match incomplete and not a
able for publication.

Top Individual Scores			
J. Ausanio	171	189	187
D. Beany	173	185	143
T. Lyle	181	152	162
D. Mendel	151	154	181
M. Dubin	140	165	181
L. Cross	149	169	165
H. Steeger	144	198	138
B. Glick	137	154	177
E. Harper	132	140	167

News of Our Own Service Folks

Bohan Promoted

Cpl. Lawrence A. Bohan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Bohan of Kingston, recently received his promotion to corporal while serving with the 97th Bomb Wing at Biggs Air Force Base, El Paso, Tex. He is a clerk in the publications section, Wing headquarters.

Corporal Bohan served with the Field Artillery for 14 months in the European theater during the war. He spent last winter in Alaska with the 97th, his present organization.

He has completed four years in the service.

U. S. Makes Demands On Dutch in Indonesia

Lake Success, Jan. 12 (AP)—The United States has demanded a definite timetable from the Dutch for elections in Indonesia and the transfer of sovereignty from the Dutch to the United States of Indonesia.

The demands were made by Dr. Philip C. Jessup, U. S. Deputy on the United Nations Security Council, who made a strong attack in the Council yesterday on the Dutch and on Russia for their Indonesian policies.

He blamed both for obstructing a peaceful settlement of the dispute between the Netherlands and the Indonesian Republic.

Russia countered that the United States and Britain were covering up for the Dutch in their attack on the Republic.

Jessup said the United States can find no adequate justification for the Dutch military action and declared they had defied the security council in continuing the fighting and not releasing Republican leaders.

Jessup blamed Russia for the activities of the Indonesian Communist, who, he said, sought to undermine and overthrow the Republic.

He said the Soviet Government is following "its familiar tactics which it has used in Korea, in Greece and Berlin and again now in Indonesia x x x."

To Hear Acheson

Washington, Jan. 12 (AP)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee will begin a public examination tomorrow of President Truman's appointment of Dean Acheson as his secretary of state. Chairman Connally (D-Tex.) called for open hearings with unanimous consent of the 12-member committee. Acheson will be the first witness and Connally has invited the entire Senate membership to attend and hear his testimony if they wish. Connally told reporters the Acheson hearings will last about two days. They will not include the nomination of James E. Webb, budget director, to be under secretary of state.

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Ulster Society Elects DuMond Agricultural Head

C. C. DuMond, Jr., of Ulster Park was elected president of the Ulster County Agricultural Society at the annual meeting in the Farm Bureau office Tuesday night. Other officers elected were Harry J. Beatty, first vice-president; Ira N. Saxe, second vice-president; Albert Kurtz, secretary and Pratt Boice, treasurer. The retiring president, I. C. Barnes of New Paltz had served the society for more than 15 years. A resolution was unanimously passed at the meeting expressing the appreciation of the officers and members for his long and faithful period of service.

The society also voted to hold its annual Ulster County Fair and Farmer's Field Day at Forsyth Park in Kingston on Wednesday, Aug. 17. It was also voted to arrange for the construction of new platforms for the poultry coops at a cost of over \$100. The platforms plus the three new tents purchased recently will further improve the physical equipment of the fair.

President DuMond, Secretary Kurtz and retiring President Barnes were named as delegates to the annual meeting of the State Association of County Agricultural Societies in Albany, February 7 and 8. In addition the following department superintendents were named for the fair this year: Horses, John Roosa; cattle, Harry J. Beatty, assisted by Gordon Boice, Hugh Simpson and Ira N. Saxe; poultry, Franklin Keller; fruit, Ray Elmendorf; vegetables, Raphael Klein; Grange, V. A. Barnhart; 4-H Clubs, Pratt Boice; homemaking, Mrs. William Powers. Two new directors of the Agricultural Society were also elected at the Tuesday meeting. They were Mrs. William Powers of Kingston and Mrs. Louis Gillett of Saugerties. Directors re-elected were Harry J. Beatty, Otto Mollenhauer, Howard Anderson, Franklin Keller and Frank C. Elliott. The next meeting will be held in March to arrange for the 1949 premium list.

Fuel Truck Strike

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The tentative truck agreement provides daily pay increases of \$1.75 for coal truck drivers and \$2.25 for fuel oil truck drivers, raising both groups to \$14 for an eight-hour day. Other benefits also were granted. The union sought a flat \$16 daily wage.

Mayor William O'Dwyer headed the city mediation team which met with fuel dealers and truck drivers in reaching the agreement. He also has been taking an active hand in seeking to settle the dispute between the Marine Union and the Marine Towing and Transportation Employers Association.

O'Dwyer, who ordered all but essential business in the city shut down for one day during a harbor strike in 1946, has said a fuel truck strike would be even more damaging to the city's millions than another harbor strike.

The harbor craft workers are seeking a 25 per cent wage rise and other benefits. The employers have offered to pay per cent and benefits. The present wage range is from 98 per cent to \$149 an hour.

Strikes by both the harbor craft workers and truck drivers originally had been scheduled for January 1.

Democratic Moguls Gather at Dinner



Tuesday night at The Barn, state and local leaders of the Democratic party dined and discussed a program for reviving their Ulster county political organization. Left to right are Attorney Thomas Plunket, county Democratic chairman; Paul Fitzpatrick, state chairman; Attorney William Kelly, toastmaster; and Oscar Ewing, federal security administrator, who was the guest speaker. (Freeman Photo)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Losing First Trick Is the Difference

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

I had the pleasure of meeting the charming Margaret Phelan of New York city, who recently was singing in the Wedgewood Room at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel with Eddie Duchin's orchestra. Margaret has gained popularity with her ability to combine operatic and popular music, and on top of it, to sing a few comedy songs.

Old-time baseball fans will remember Art Phelan, who back around 1912 played with the Chicago Cubs and Cincinnati Reds. Art is Margaret's father and at the present time he owns the Alexandria, La., team.

All of her family love to play cards, but they play at her because she refuses to take it seriously. Her partner glared at her when she did not win the first trick in

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♦ 8 5	♦ 10 8 6	♦ 3	♦ K 8 3
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♠ N	♠ W	♠ E	♠ Dealer
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today's hand; however, that was the only way that the contract could be made.

If she had won the first trick and returned the queen of diamonds, East could have won and returned a heart. Now, even if Margaret held up one round before winning the heart, West would get in with the king of diamonds and run the heart suit.

When East held the first trick with the nine of hearts and returned the jack, Margaret won that trick with the ace and led the queen of diamonds. East won but he had no more hearts to return. All he could do was to lead a spade or a club. Margaret could win either and lead another diamond. West won the second diamond with the king and led another heart, but declarer won this in dummy with the king and proceeded to make four no trump.

Dewey Halts . . .

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turned thumbs down on the Educational Conference Board's plan, which would increase state aid for education by \$60,000,000 above the mandated increase. The plan also has been endorsed by the Democrats and the State Teachers Association.

Dewey said the Educational Conference Board's proposals would mean only \$13,000,000 additional for New York city. He added that the Democrats, by endorsing the plan, put "themselves in the wringer." Most Democratic legislators are from New York city.

Dewey made it clear too that his budget recommendations would not provide for teacher salary boosts. Both the Regents' proposals and those of the Educational Conference Board provide for wage increases.

On taxes, Dewey said G.O.P. legislators with whom he had conferred had expressed "widely conflicting views."

The range went, he said, from "those who believed any tax increase would be inappropriate at this time to those who felt that all increases which have been discussed and more should be made" to meet demands for expanded state services.

He said requests of various state departments for capital funds had been cut "to the bone and possibly into the bone." Such cuts, he said, had reduced requests of \$290,000,000 to \$98,000,000.

Good Taste Today

By Emily Post

(Author of "Etiquette," "Children Are People," etc.)

EXCEPTION TO STRICT RULE
A prospective bride protests against a rule of etiquette that is ordinarily very strict: "It seems superfluous to have to write notes of thanks for wedding presents when I made a point of thanking the givers in person. In fact, I think it more flattering to do it in person than by note and wonder why there is such a rule that makes one look ridiculous?"

There is no rule that obliges a bride who thanks a giver verbally to write a note then. The rudeness is in neither writing nor thanking in person. Remember, however, that a few words of thanks at the wedding reception will not take the place of a note or a personally given message of thanks.

Divorce Problem at Wedding

Dear Mrs. Post: If the divorced parents of the bride have remained friendly (even meeting occasionally in the houses of their mutual friends), would it be in questionable taste to have the father present at the reception given in the mother's house and at the same time have both step-parents present?

Answer: Formerly, this idea would have been shocking to everyone. But in the present day when divorce, unfortunately, is much more common, such encounters are taken lightly. In other words, the feelings of the families themselves are today of sole importance.

Master Becomes Mister

Dear Mrs. Post: At what age does a young boy cease to receive envelopes addressed "Master?"

Answer: When he enters high school or prep school. Actually, in the present day, "Master" rarely is prefixed except on envelopes enclosing invitations.

"You're Welcome"

Dear Mrs. Post: Isn't it odd to see "You're welcome" attributed to someone thanks you for some kindness you have shown them or object given them?

Answer: "You're welcome" is said always when one is thanked for a kindness or a generosity.

Do you know when it is correct to say, "Excuse me or 'I beg your pardon'?" Mrs. Post's leaflet, E-15 describes manners in public. To obtain a copy, send 5 cents in coin and a stamped self-addressed envelope to her, c/o The Kingston Daily Freeman, P. O. Box 99, Station G, New York 13, N. Y. Mrs. Post is sorry she cannot answer personal mail.

(Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Legion, Others to Aid Boy Without Hands

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 12 (AP)—Fifty-year-old David Cookson, who went when Santa Claus failed to bring him the hands he lost in an accident three years ago, is going to receive an answer to his prayers.

The youngster, who learned to draw with a crayon held between his arm stumps, broke into tears on Christmas Day because his gifts did not include the "new fingers" for which he had prayed.

The little boy's story was published in the newspapers and immediately well-wishers began sending contributions to the child's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cookson of nearby Warrum.

The donations ranged from a \$1,000 gift to the weekly allowance of a nine-year-old who had learned of David's plight.

Scranton American Legion officials underwrote a fund to provide David with artificial hands. Today the boy who prayed for "new fingers" prepared for his first fitting.

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Ewing Says Health

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"bottleneck met everywhere" was the lack of skilled professional people.

The survey revealed also a "traffic lack of hospital beds," which currently need to be doubled in the nation, and a lack of co-ordination "by and large" between hospital and another.

Under a system advocated to be set up on a state basis with adequate clinics, full equipment, personnel and co-ordination, "no person in the state would be more than one hour's trip from a hospital," and all hospitals would be on an integrated basis of mutual aid and service.

Hits Deplorable Conditions

The speaker struck at deplorable conditions in the nation's hospitals for mental and psychiatric care, and revealed that 8,000,000 are in need of such care in the country.

The one panel of the 14, which was not unanimous in its findings, he said, was that which dealt with "how the people are to pay" for health insurance. It was largely decided that it should be a form of "prepaid insurance," but differed as to whether it should be on a government or individual basis.

One suggestion was, he said, that a tax be paid on the first \$4,900 of everyone's income. Everyone would pay, he said, the sick and the well, and under a proposal the tax would not exceed two per cent by employer and another two per cent by the employee. This would mean that a man earning \$50 would pay \$1 a week. The maximum, he said, would be \$1.96.

In stressing the need for this prepaid insurance plan the speaker said the nation has at least 70 million whose total family income is less than \$3,000 a year, and it is these particularly in need of such a plan.

Would Have Own Plan

Each state would submit its own plan, the speaker said, and the state would be divided into health areas, and the "widest latitude" would be left for doctors for agreement as to scale of charges, and there would be "not the slightest control of what the doctor prescribes."

The speaker stressed the returns to the nation through such programs and said that in the Federal Security Agency, the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation statistics show that the Treasury got back more than \$10 for every \$1 spent.

The speaker struck at Governor Thomas E. Dewey's "record on education," in this state and charged that he is "apparently in great panic now to do something for the schools." He mentioned money diverted to the building of roads, and said it is far more important to have our people educate children than to build roads.

The speaker stressed the "spiritual quality" in Truman's leadership and said he knew he "believed in his cause so deeply that he could not feel defeat."

Democratic State Chairman Fitzpatrick expressed himself as happy to visit Ulster county, where it takes a great deal of courage to be a Democrat. He held that the Democratic party is one you can talk about—it is the party of the people. It has a message to take to the people, he said, and that is why it was successful last fall...it went to the people with a story and the people believed it.

Praises Speaker

The state chairman paid tribute to the guest speaker, who, he said was held in "high esteem and confidence" of President Truman, and he praised Democratic County Chairman Thomas J. Plunket, who if given full support, he said "will be able to do here in Ulster what was done in Albany county."

The county chairman, in a brief talk said that the turnout "was gratifying proof of an active organization in the county."

The speakers were introduced by Attorney William A. Kelly, toastmaster, and seated at the speakers' table were: Lester T. Doyle, Marie A. Koenig, former Mayor William F. Edmuth and J. Christie Bell.

Toastmaster Kelly read messages of regret at their being unable to attend, from Judge John T. Loughran, chief judge of the New York State Court of Appeals; Supreme Court Justice Harry E. Schrick and Judge Francis Bergen, who was recently named associate justice of the Appellate Division.

Condition Good

Keates Young of Milton, who suffered a broken arm several days ago, was reported in good condition at Vassar Hospital today. Monday, Young underwent an operation on the arm and is expected to return home shortly.

Coalition Is . . .

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Snow and Sleet

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pect for Kansas, Missouri and Oklahoma where sleet and rain has hampered normal life for three days. Power lines were down and some areas and both rural and city schools closed in others.

In contrast, shirt sleeves and spring clothes were in season in the south. A broad area from the Carolinas across the southeastern states to New Orleans basked in temperatures up in the high 70s and low 80s. The famed azaleas of Mobile, Ala., came into bloom, and Savannah, Ga., gloved with a new record for January 11 yesterday with a reading of 83.

The weatherman said more of the same was in store for most of the south.

In the midwest, freezing rain or very light snow hit southern Ohio, West Virginia and southern Pennsylvania today while rain fell in Tennessee, Kentucky and Virginia. The weather Bureau reported lows of 16 below at Baker, Ore., and Bozeman, Mont., and eight below at Caribou, Me.

Buckman Held

Clarence Buckman, 41, of 26 DuBois street, Kingston, was arrested by game protectors Tuesday on a charge of violation of Section 170 of the Conservation Law, it being alleged he took a pheasant out of season. Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Percy Bush, Buckman was held in \$150 bail for a hearing on January 26 at 7 o'clock.

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The Weather

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 12, 1949

Sun rises at 7:37 a. m.; sun sets at 4:40 p. m., 12.57°.

The Temperature
The lowest temperature recorded on the Freeman thermometer during the night was 19 degrees. The highest figure recorded up to noon today was 32 degrees.

Weather Forecast
New York city and vicinity — Today, sunny with some cloudiness; high near 40; gentle to moderate variable winds; becoming westerly; tonight, mostly cloudy, continued cold; low in upper 20s; moderate westerly winds.

Thursday, partly cloudy, little change in temperature, high near 40; moderate to fresh west to northwest winds.
Eastern New York — Cloudy and moderately cold with light snow today and early tonight. Thursday, cloudy, little change in temperature with snow flurries in northeastern New York.

Cloudy

Commenting on the passenger traffic he said under the schedule now in operation his train arrives in Kingston, since the change, 6:30, too late to catch No. 2 out and passengers arrive in New York around mid-night. The old schedule was much more convenient and Mr. Brannen said he believed passenger traffic could be increased if people in Oneonta knew the New York Central carried passengers to New York via Kingston.

It was his opinion that few knew the New York Central operated trains through to New York, and he advocated more advertising of train schedules in the Oneonta paper to inform people of the service. He told the commission that the route traversed mountainous country where roads were bad in winter, frequently being closed by snow and ice, and people preferred rail transportation to bus travel in winter. He described the cars as unclean and badly heated.

Testifying in regard to operation of snow trains over the Mountain Division he said in years past snow trains carried many people but the snow trains have not been operated of late from New York. Dining car service on those trains was discontinued after the first year. He told of carrying as many as 225 people on snow trains when they first operated and said he did not know why they were not operated now.

Dislike Service
Mr. Brannen said he believed many more of the milk producers would ship milk by train if proper service was given. He said in the past the railroad solicited business in the mountain area but of late he had not heard of any effort being made to get business. Mr. Brannen told the commission he believed he could get them business if proper facilities were offered.

Andrew J. Cook, Jr., counsel for students using the train from Kingston to Albany on Sunday evenings leaving Kingston at 10:40, was the first witness called at the morning session. He said there were from 35 to 40 students who could use this train, particularly in winter when roads were dangerous. Most people preferred the reliability of train service rather than buses or private cars when roads were bad. He said it was impossible to ride the Greyhound bus from Kingston to Albany, that route being served by Mountain View Coach.

N. Y. Papers Late
Jacob Gascol, manager of the Kingston News Service, with a branch at Catskill, testified to the inconvenience of securing papers from New York now that service on the West Shore had been cut. "Train No. 2 was necessary to get papers here and if No. 3 is taken

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Removal of Train Opposed In Testimony on Tuesday

Bernard F. Brannen, conductor-brakeman on the Mountain Division of the New York Central Railroad, was the first railroad man to be called to testify at the Public Service Commission hearing before A. H. Williamson of the Public Service Commission. Mr. Brannen, an employee of the former Ulster & Delaware Railroad prior to its purchase by the New York Central, said he had been railroading since June 10, 1907.

At present Mr. Brannen is local chairman of the Brotherhood of Trainmen. He testified he had been called before the hearing by subpoena. His duties now are as that of conductor or brakeman and his run is the combination train from Kingston to Oneonta and back. "This train operates since December 5, as a combination milk, passenger, express and mail train and is diesel operated."

Expressing his opinion on the service Mr. Brannen said it was his opinion that much more business could be done along the line if better facilities were offered. At present the train arrives in Kingston too late to connect with No. 2, south bound over the West Shore railroad. He told of a decline in the milk hauling on the line and said passenger travel on his train was very light. He expressed an opinion that if the railroad solicited business and put on better facilities for the milk producers, the revenue could be greatly increased. Milk shipments are carried by express six days a week but on Sunday it must go by freight.

Wrong Schedule
Commenting on the passenger traffic he said under the schedule now in operation his train arrives in Kingston, since the change, 6:30, too late to catch No. 2 out and passengers arrive in New York around mid-night. The old schedule was much more convenient and Mr. Brannen said he believed passenger traffic could be increased if people in Oneonta knew the New York Central carried passengers to New York via Kingston.

It was his opinion that few knew the New York Central operated trains through to New York, and he advocated more advertising of train schedules in the Oneonta paper to inform people of the service. He told the commission that the route traversed mountainous country where roads were bad in winter, frequently being closed by snow and ice, and people preferred rail transportation to bus travel in winter. He described the cars as unclean and badly heated.

Testifying in regard to operation of snow trains over the Mountain Division he said in years past snow trains carried many people but the snow trains have not been operated of late from New York. Dining car service on those trains was discontinued after the first year. He told of carrying as many as 225 people on snow trains when they first operated and said he did not know why they were not operated now.

Dislike Service
Mr. Brannen said he believed many more of the milk producers would ship milk by train if proper service was given. He said in the past the railroad solicited business in the mountain area but of late he had not heard of any effort being made to get business. Mr. Brannen told the commission he believed he could get them business if proper facilities were offered.

Andrew J. Cook, Jr., counsel for students using the train from Kingston to Albany on Sunday evenings leaving Kingston at 10:40, was the first witness called at the morning session. He said there were from 35 to 40 students who could use this train, particularly in winter when roads were dangerous. Most people preferred the reliability of train service rather than buses or private cars when roads were bad. He said it was impossible to ride the Greyhound bus from Kingston to Albany, that route being served by Mountain View Coach.

N. Y. Papers Late
Jacob Gascol, manager of the Kingston News Service, with a branch at Catskill, testified to the inconvenience of securing papers from New York now that service on the West Shore had been cut. "Train No. 2 was necessary to get papers here and if No. 3 is taken

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off the company will have to use trucks. A curtailment of service already in effect has made congestion so bad on the paper train that his papers frequently do not arrive and he cited instances when it was necessary to send to Newburgh to bring them up by truck. Prior to discontinuance of Train No. 27 papers came up on that train and the paper train was relieved of this load. He also referred to No. 21 dead-heading up from Weehawken. Since this plan was placed into effect he said it was impossible to get late editions of New York papers in time to get them out to subscribers. Since No. 21 was discontinued, he said there was but one mail from New York which was of use to his concern, the other mails getting in Kingston from Weehawken too late to distribute papers by mail. If No. 3 is permitted to end its run at Kingston, as proposed, he said there would be no way to get papers to the Catskill branch in time for distribution. He inferred that if train No. 21 operated it would be possible to get papers and passengers before noon and it was pointed out that this train now runs but carries no passengers or mail from Weehawken to Kingston, simply dead-heading back after the morning run to Weehawken.

Harry Rigby, president of the Kingston Kiwanis Club, was called and testified that the club ought to have the train service improved as a service to the community. He said week-end trips by people who owned homes in this area were being discouraged and he felt unless something was done to improve service these people would not continue to reside in Ulster county.

'Standing Joke'
West Shore service was a "standing joke" in the community, he said, and he suggested it could be improved with a little effort. First the trains should be cleaned up. Kingston was a first class city but with second class service, he said. The west shore of the river is "almost isolated" so far as rail traffic is concerned and he said he believed the railroads, being public service corporations, had a certain duty to perform. He also referred to the proposed curtailment of service on the Mountain Division. Associated with the Kingston Coal Company, North River Coal Company and Rodie Coal Company, he said most of their coal comes over the former U. & D. It used to take a car of coal four days to come from Scranton, now since the revision schedule it takes as much as 10 days to come.

At this point objection was raised by the railroad, the basis being that freight service was not before the commission at this time but the question involved was that of passenger service. This objection was sustained and Mr. Rigby said he would like an opportunity at the proper time to go into the freight phase of the matter.

John G. M. Hilton of Saugerties, president of the Saugerties Taxpayers Association, was sworn. He said he represented 160 taxpayers. Passenger service on the West Shore was "inadequate now and would be more so if curtailed." He said the service could be "vastly improved."

Cross examined by Mr. Stevens for the railroad, Mr. Hilton said bus service was adequate so far as schedules were concerned to Saugerties but the equipment was

inadequate and people liked to travel by rail.

W. Earl Ryance, representing the W. E. Ryance Sons Printing Company of Kingston said his business was financial printing for banking institutions and it depended on mail shipments to sell every state in the union. Train No. 2 leaves at 4:50 o'clock for New York and is used exclusively for all mail. His firm uses this mail to contact people in New York and the west and also ships work on this train. He said to remove this train would be a hardship and delay delivery of both mail and the product of his firm. If mail is not sent out in the afternoon on this train, it arrives too late in New York next day for morning delivery and also to catch air mail to the west.

N. LeVan Haver for the town of Shandaken communities and the Chamber of Commerce of Big Indian, Pine Hill, Phoenicia and Oliveira, testified that business would be adversely affected if Train No. 2 were withdrawn. He cited the resort business of the area and the winter sport business which had been hampered by withdrawal of snow trains. He said the communities were dissatisfied with the treatment they had received at the hands of the railroad. People do not ride the West Shore because the "service is terrible." Said Mr. Haver, "I avoid it whenever possible." In his opinion the Central was attempting to "drive passenger traffic from the West Shore."

"We stopped riding the West Shore because of the abominable service," he said. Personally he said he went to Poughkeepsie and took a Central train to New York because of the bad service on the west side. The Central service was "excellent compared to the West Shore." Mr. Haver said the ski trains from his observation some four or five years ago operated at capacity, in fact at one time so many people were in the area that it was difficult to get accommodations.

Travelers Complained
Mr. Brannen was recalled after Mr. Haver's testimony was concluded and continued his story. He said the combination car now operated from Kingston to Oneonta was used by both men and women and workmen with tools and in work overalls used the same coach. The coach is not air-conditioned and he had had complaints from travelers that the coach was not clean.

He said he never had been told by any superior to encourage passenger traffic by bus and in turn he said he had observed no effort by the railroad to increase business on the Mountain Division. He also referred to an incident when an extra train had operated from Stamford to Kingston as a dead-head when passengers were left on the platform. There had been no reason why these passengers could not have been picked up by the train.

From September 26 to December 5 the railroad had operated two trains and two sets of equipment.

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